The Daily Republican.

VOL. 1. DECATUR, ILL., MONDAY AUGUST 26, 1872. NO. 126.

"Pictorial History ... Times."

"... and most success ... in the Union."

Weekly.

Illustrated,

...IONS--1872.

...MS.

... year............$4 00

...Magazine

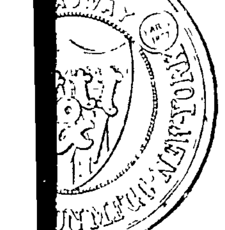
...IONS--1872.

OUT!

...provement

& WILSON

Machine.



...e of Tension

...er & Wilson

...550,000 Manufactured.

...O MORE ... Wilson Machines

Farrar & Co.,

WANTED!

...KINGRY

Macon County.

Warren & Durfee

REAL ESTATE

DEALERS,

BROKERS,

—AND—

CONVEYANCERS!

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

MACON COUNTY

TITLE

Abstract Office

THE BOOKS OF THIS OFFICE constitute the ... Land Court Records of the county ... transcribed and arranged upon our

"Continuous and Self-Corrective System,"

Copyrighted A. D. 1864 and 1865,

The superiority of which has since been tested by its adoption in more than 50 counties in this and adjoining States. We furnish ABSTRACTS of all Conveyances, Mortgages, Wills, Court Decrees, Sales and Redemptions, Judgment Liens and Tax Sales, and all matter that is of Record affecting title to every Tract of Land and Town Lot within the county. Also, Abstracts showing ... entire recorded real estate interests of any person or estate in the county.

WARREN & DURFEE.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Reliable Fire Insurance

NEW YORK

UNDERWRITERS'

AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

$3,666,242.85.

—o—

CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York:

GENTLEMEN:—The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger ... could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through ... duty and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

Field, Leiter & Co.	Jno V. Farwell & Co.
... Gibbs & Co.	Hayden & Kay.
W. J. Quan & Co.	Farrington, Brewster & Co.
Richards, Crumbaugh & Co.	Wight, Dunton & Co.
D W & A Keith & Co.	C M Henderson & Co.
S P Shedd ... & Co.	Wm M Hoyt & Co.
Markley, Alling & Co.	Weare, Kutland & Ordway.
Burnham Bros.	Hitt, Ayton & Co.
C H Beckwith & Sons.	Cahn, Wampold & Co.
Leopold, Kuh & Co.	L P Hollister & Co.
Allen & Mackey.	Hamlin, Hale & Co.
Bowen, Hunt & Winslow.	Hall, Kimbark & Co.
Henry W King & Co.	D B Fisk & Co.
Chas. Gossage & Co.	Chas. P Kellogg & Co.
Chas W Angell, Sec'y Pull. Car Co.	H & D S Greenebaum
S Mat... & Co.	Sweet, Dempster & Co.
Keith Brothers.	J. Iward ... Bluett & Co.
Hiram Wheeler.	B... Spencer & Co.
... Rubling & Co.	Hart Brothers.
Kleinman & Co.	Wells & Stevens.
	M. D. Wells & Co.
	Walker, Oakley & Co.

WARREN & DURFEE.

AGENTS, DECATUR, ILLS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

CONTINENTAL

INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

Cash Capital,

One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,

$2,509,526.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire Paid

$1,485,888.

Warren & Durfee

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Insurance Company

OF

NORTH AMERICA,

PHILADELPHIA.

ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST ... SURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.

Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,

$3,212,176.

... OF NORTH AMERICA commenced ... April 10th, 1794, has since been in ... FULL and UNINTERRUPTED operation ... years.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,

$580,000 00.

... continues to offer its services to those ... RELIABLE INDEMNITY against ... Fire. ... Policies in the above Sterling Old ... apply to

April ... WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

1872-d-tf.

FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts.; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts.; size, 95x110 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4 fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 61 feet front, lot 9, 10 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 55x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block 1, in Southwestern addition; 79 feet front, depth 1.. feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 1, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

FOR SALE OR TRADE. 60 acres, about 3½ miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house of 4 rooms, good cellar, well and necessary out-buildings. All under good cultivation, except 15 acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding-house; a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

800 ACRES in Platt Co., mostly prairie. Price, $26.50 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE

Railway Passengers'

Assurance Co.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Issues tickets of Insurance against

ACCIDENT.

Cash Capital, $300,000,

J. G. BATTERSON, President,

C. D. PALMER, Secretary

RATES

Of Registered Accident Tickets, Insuring $3,000 in the event of Death, or $15,00 Weekly Idemnity for Total Disability.

One Day,	25 Cents.	Five Days,	$1,25
Two Days,	50 Cents	Ten Days,	2,50
Thirty Days,	$5,00.		

Women Insured Against Death Only.

Warren & Durfee

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

THE

HARTFORD

FIRE

Insurance Comp'y,

HARTFORD, CONN.,

CHARTERED, - - - - 1810

CASH CAPITAL,

One Million Dollars.

Assets January 1, 872,

$2,942,071.18.

Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

WARREN & DURFEE

AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf

CAN WE AFFORD A CHANGE.

Here is a strong point from one of Senator Wilson's late speeches. Mr. Greeley's plan of "resumption" meets with not the slightest favor by anybody who makes finance a study:

Do you then, gentlemen, wonder why we are prosperous? Why should we not be prosperous? We are fast hastening to resume specie payment, not by following Horace Greeley's advice and hanging out a notice saying, "we resume," but by following sound, practical ideas, like far-seeing merchants. We are in a fair way to extinguish our debt, raise our credit, appreciate our currency, till it becomes equal to gold and silver the world over.

I ask you, gentlemen, can you afford to change? I ask merchants, mechanics and farmers, who are now prosperous, strong and powerful, can you afford to peril your interests and peril the welfare and prosperity of the country, by deserting the Republican party, and abandoning the Administration?

I knew it was the poor men of this country that filled the ranks of the army; I knew that the toiling millions had to bear the brunt and give most of the blood, and I wanted them and their wives and children to pay as little as possible for the support of the war, and to let the men who were putting their hands into the pack mainly help to carry it on.

I was in England last year, and I encountered tariff men there. They thought that our war resulted from an attempt to impose a tariff on the South. They were unwilling to believe that it was a slave-masters' rebellion. They would like to supply us with their manufactures. They said the laboring man was too well paid in the United States; that the effect was to draw away their best workmen, making labor scarce and wages high. I told him that I thanked God it was so.

APPLES FOR HUMAN FOOD.—With us the value of an apple as an article of food is far underrated. Besides containing a large amount of sugar, mucilage, and other nutritive matter, apples contain vegetable acids, aromatic qualities, etc., which act powerfully in the capacity of refrigerants, tonics, and antiseptics; and freely used at the season of mellow ripeness, they prevent debility, indigestion, and avert, without a doubt, "many of the ills which flesh is heir to." The operatives of Cornwall, England, consider ripe apples nearly as nourishing as bread, and far more so than potatoes. In the year 1801, which was a year of much scarcity, apples instead of being converted into cider, were sold to the poor, and the laborers asserted that they could "stand their work on baked apples without meat; whereas potato diet requires meat or other substantial nutriment." The French and Germans use apples extensively, as do the inhabitants of European nations. The laborers depend on them as an article of food, and frequently make a dinner of sliced apple and bread. There is no food cooked in so many different ways in our country as apples; nor is there any fruit whose value as an article of nutriment, is as great, and so little appreciated.

EXTREME DRESS.—Overdressing is vulgar, especially in women, for the glare of the sunlit and eyelit street. Toilets, even when tasteful as to color and style, denote, if habitually rich and showy, mental vulgarlarity, their transparent design being by superficial material means to impress the beholder. The refined beholder is unfavorably impressed, suspecting such outward riches to be the mask of inward poverty. A prevalent fashion of costly dressing is a sign of general vulgarity. The finest type of ladyhood would recoil offended from her mirror at seeing herself besilked and befeathered, and bejeweled for a morning walk or drive. She will be as simply elegant in her attire indoors or out as in her manner, and will not exhibit either in this one or the other the slightest effort to out style her neighbor.

HUMOROUS.

Ice water should be drank very sparingly unless the ice is perfectly ripe.

Willie being asked what he would do when he was a man, said he would have his clothes made by a tailor.

The mother of a charming Danbury girl would not let her daughter marry a conductor, because she didn't want her doors slammed off.

Early cabbages in market. Partagas—Connecticut wrapper with Havana filling—range from fifteen to twenty-five cents a head.

Lotty Hough will never lecture anymore—in public. She has made a permanent engagement. His name is Gregory.

The two prettiest girls in the town of Fall River, Mass., are chronicled as reeling about the streets, one day last week, in a very "incoherent" condition.

A man who applied to one of our citizens for help for his destitute children, being asked what he needed, said he was not particular. "If he couldn't get bread he would take tobacco."

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.—Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individuals's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebelious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

Jas. Forester & Co.

EXCLUSIVE WHOLESALE

DEALERS IN

DRY GOODS!

Woolens, Notions, Etc.

Close Cash Buyers

WILL

SAVE MONEY

By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.

Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. m14-dly.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smiths Hammer & Co's Bank. [11-daw, 1.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's Shoe store

D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Luidden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

C. C. McComps,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Watter Streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

DR A. D. WILLIAMS,

(Late of Cincinnati),

OCULIST and AURIST.

Has located permanently in St. Louis, Mo. Office: 723 Chestnut-st. Visits made to the country if desired.

St. Nicholas Hotel,

N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur, Illinois *Busto and from the cars.* aug1-tf

Woods, Gooding & Co.,

—GENERAL—

Produce Commission Merchants

FOR THE SALE OF

Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Apples, Canned and Dried Fruits, And Farmers' Produce.

Consignments Solicited

And Prompt Returns Guaranteed.

Uhlich's Hotel, cor. 22nd and State Sts.

R. M. WOODS,
D. W. C. GOODING,
SAMUEL E. MINER.

October 19, 1871—3mos.

ICE CREAM,

SODA WATER, and

ICE COLD LEMONADE,

Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at

Miller's Confectionery.

April 26—d-tf.

AGENTS WANTED for the Lives of

GRANT! GREELEY!

WILSON! BROWN!

And the leading men of all parties. Over 40 Steel Portraits. Just the book wanted by the masses everywhere. Agents meet with wonderful success. Send for circular and secure territory at once. Address ZEIGLER & McCURDY, 503 North sixth st., St. Louis, Mo.

BRICK KILN.

Another patent has just been granted S. M. Hamilton for an improved Brick Kiln. This Kiln is cheap, durable and simple in construction. Burns Brick (with wood or coal) all hard and nearly uniform in color.

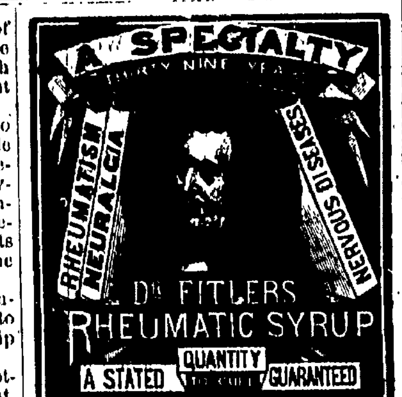
Will save three-fourths of the fuel as now used by old kiln. So constructed as to be charged and discharged daily, thus perpetually at work, regardless of wind or weather. Send for Circular to S. M. HAMILTON, No. 8 South Gay St, Baltimore.

U. S. PIANO CO., N. Y. PRICE, No Agents. Circulars free. **$290**

JOHN W. SMITH. BRIC L. STERRETT.

SMITH STERRETT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. Aug. 11, 1870-ly



$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 39 years.

$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.

$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN

SOLE AGENTS,

Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, April 30, 872-dawl-ly.

BELT'S Patent Sheet Iron

ROOFING!

Cheapest and Best Iron Roofing made.

For circulars, references, or other information, address W. S. BELT, Cincinnati, O.

Fellows' Compound

Syrup of Hypophosphites!

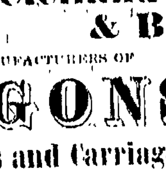
The new English invention reaches Organic Diseases, strengthens the Brain and Nervous System. Is the most successful remedy for Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Debility from whatever cause—from close study, grief, unhealthy air and sexual abuses. $2 per bottle; 6 for $10. FULLER & FULLER, Chicago.

Kramer, McClelland & Bro.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

WAGONS!

Buggies and Carriages,



WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Macon and adjoining counties, that they have always on hand a large and complete stock of Wagons, Spring Wagons, Carriages, Top and Open Buggies, all of their own manufacture. Their work is

Warranted First-Class!

As they employ none but SUPERIOR WORKMEN.

—o—

IN THE MANUFACTURE of Buggies, Carriages and Spring Wagons, they use the Steel Converted Axle; the Spring Perch Co's Springs, known to be the best manufactured; and the Sarvent Patent Wheel, made by Boyer & Co., of Cincinnati.

—o—

REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS, done to order, and Trimming and Painting of Buggies and Carriages,

Prices as Low as the Lowest.

SHOPS—On the corner of East Main and Franklin-Sts., Decatur, Ill.

March 14, 1872—tf.

LAND FOR SALE!

—o—

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE 160 acres of Improved Prairie Land, seven miles southeast of Decatur. There is on the place 1¼ miles hedge, most of it 2 years old and over. The improvements consist of a story and a half house stabling for four horses, orchard of 85 trees in bearing.

TERMS—One-third cash, balance in one and two years.

Apply on the premises to S. M. C. DAVIS.

—o—

DISSOLUTION.

THE FIRM OF J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS was dissolved by mutual consent, November 15, 1871. J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS. Decatur, May 30, 1872—w-6m

HAND BASKETS, WASTE BASKETS, WORK BASKETS FRUIT BASKETS, TRAVELING BASKETS, AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

Charles P. Housum,

Solicitor of Patents!

Mechanical Draftsman,

—AND—

Monumental Designer!

POST OFFICE BOX 231,

DECATUR, ILL.

OFFICE:—Room 11, Powers' Block. [Sept. 15, 1870.—1y.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 8 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
5:30 A. M. .... 5:40 P. M.

GOING NORTH.
5:30 A. M. .... 5:35 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
11.31 A. M. .... 2:40 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.
7:35 A. M. .... 2:22 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't. } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt. }
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m.
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m.
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m.
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m.
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m.

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m.
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m.
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m.
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m.
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m.

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:45 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 35 a. m.
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m.
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m.
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m.
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m.

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 50 p. m.
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m.
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m.
"	Decatur	3 20 a. m.
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m.

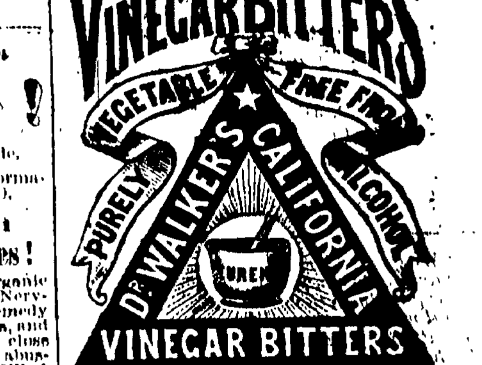
FREIGHT.

No. 14—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 3 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.



J. WALKER, Proprietor. R. H. McDONALD & CO., Druggists & Gen. Agents, San Francisco, Cal., and 34 Commerce street, N. Y.

MILLIONS Bear Testimony to their Wonderful Curative Effects.

They are not a vile **Fancy Drink, Made of Poor Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits and Refuse Liquors** doctored, spiced and sweetened to please the taste, called "Tonics," "Appetizers," "Restorers," &c., that lead the tippler on to drunkenness and ruin, but are a true Medicine, made from the Native Roots and Herbs of California, free from all Alcoholic Stimulants. They are the **GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER and A LIFE GIVING PRINCIPLE**, a perfect Renovator and Invigorator of the System, carrying off all poisonous matter and restoring the blood to a healthy condition. No person can take these Bitters according to directions and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and the vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

They are a Gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing, also, the peculiar merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver, and all the Visceral Organs.

FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood or at the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters have no equal.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful. **Such Diseases** are caused by **Vitiated Blood**, which is generally produced by derangement of the **Digestive Organs.**

DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia.

They invigorate the Stomach and stimulate the torpid Liver and Bowels, which render them of unequalled efficacy in cleansing the blood of all impurities, and imparting new life and vigor to the whole system.

FOR SKIN DISEASES, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-Worms, Scald Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin, of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters. One bottle in such cases will convince the most incredulous of their curative effects.

Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.

Pin, Tape, and other Worms, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. Says a distinguished physiologist, there is scarcely an individual upon the face of the earth whose body is exempt from the presence of worms. It is not upon the healthy elements of the body that worms exist, but upon the diseased humors and slimy deposits that breed these living monsters of disease. No System of Medicine, no vermifuges, no anthelmintics will free the system from worms like these Bitters.

J. WALKER, Proprietor. **R. H. McDONALD & CO.**, Druggists and Gen. Agents, San Francisco, California, and 32 and 34 Commerce Street, New York.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.

ORGANIC LAW OF THE SEXES—Conditions which impair vitality—positive and negative electricity—proof that life is evolved without union—effect of tobacco—influence of fish and phosphoric diet—modern treatment of pelvic diseases, stricture and varicocele, and arrest of development; ten lectures to his private surgical class, by EDWARD H. DIXON, M. D., 42 Fifth Avenue, New York; 64 pages, 25 cents.

"Every pen from the line of Dr. Dixon is of great value to the whole human race."—*Horace Greeley.*

COLLEGIATE AND COMMERCIAL INSTITUTE, New Haven, Conn. Preparatory to College, Business, Scientific Schools, U. S. Military and Naval Academies. Fall session, 36th year, begins Sept. 13. For Catalogue, address Gen. WM. H. RUSSELL, Principal.

FOR SALE—A fine team of match horses for sale by Ira Emerson, on the corner of North Church and West Eldorado streets, in Decatur. July 20 2w.

AVERILL'S CHEMICAL PAINT-- Mixed Ready for use—Beautiful, Durable, Water-Proof, Elastic and Cheap. Call for Sample Card of Colors. - MOREHOUSE & WELLS

NewspaperARCHIVE.com

ictorial History
Times."

, and most success
r in the Union."

Weekly.
Illustrated,

the Press.

per of our country,
partments of an Ameri-
Harper's Weekly has
t to its title, "A Jour-
New York Evening Post

IONS--1872.
MS.

year............$4 00

OTHERS, New York.

the Best Sustained
ed in the World."

Magazine

TIONS--1872.
RMS.

one year.........$4 00

BROTHERS, New York.

OUT!
provement

& WILSON
Machine.

e of Tension

er & Wils

550,000
Manufactured.

O MORE
Wilson Machines

Farrar & Co.,

WANTED!

KINGRY

Macon County.

The Daily Republican.

VOL. 1. DECATUR, ILL., MONDAY AUGUST 26, 1872. NO. 126.

Warren & Durfee
REAL ESTATE
DEALERS,
BROKERS,
--AND--
CONVEYANCERS!
April 1, 1872 d-tf.

MACON COUNTY
TITLE
Abstract Office

THE BOOKS OF THIS OFFICE constitute the Only Complete Records of the county, abstracted, transcribed and arranged upon

"Continuous and Self-Corrective System,"

Copyrighted A. D. 1864 and 1865.

The superiority of which has since been tested by its adoption in more than seven counties in this and adjoining States. We furnish ABSTRACTS of all Conveyances, Mortgages, Wills, Court Decrees, Sales and Redemptions, Judgment Liens and Tax Sales, and all matter that is of Record affecting title to every Tract of Land and Town Lot within the county. Also, Abstracts showing the entire recorded real estate interests of any person or estate in the county.

WARREN & DURFEE.
April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Reliable Fire Insurance
NEW YORK
UNDERWRITERS'
AGENCY.
Cash Assets January 1, 1872,
$3,666,242.85.

CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.
To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York:

GENTLEMEN:--The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger proof could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through here, nobly and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, actually surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,
Yours very respectfully,

[illegible list of Chicago firms' signatures, including Field, Leiter & Co.; Jno. V. Farwell & Co.; W. J. Quan & Co.; Hayden & Kay; Farrington, Brewster & Co.; Wright, Fenton & Co.; C. M. Henderson & Co.; Wm. M. Hoyt & Co.; Hall, Ayres & Co.; Hamlin, Hale & Co.; Hall, Kimback & Co.; H. B. Fisk & Co.; Henry W. King & Co.; Chas. P. Kellogg & Co.; Walker, Oakley & Co.]

WARREN & DURFEE,
AGENTS, DECATUR, Ills.
April 1, 1872 d-tf.

CONTINENTAL
INSURANCE CO.
OF NEW YORK CITY.
Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.
Cash Capital,
One Million Dollars!
Assets January 1, 1872,
$2,509,526.00.
Losses in Chicago Fire Paid
$1,485,888.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.
April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Insurance Company
OF
NORTH AMERICA,
PHILADELPHIA.
ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.
OLDEST INSURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.
Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,
$3,212,176.
THE INSURANCE CO. OF NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 11th, 1794, has since been in [illegible] UNINTERRUPTED operation [illegible] years.
Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,
$580,000 00.
[illegible] continues to offer its services to those [illegible] RELIABLE INDEMNITY against [illegible] fire. [illegible] above Sterling Old Company apply to
WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.
April 1, 1872-d-tf.

FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Eldorado sts; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 95x110 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition--lot 7, block 4, fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts; lot 8, 61 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 6 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 55x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts, comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 1 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $500, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable, all in good repair; lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 175 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts, comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 4, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

FOR SALE OR TRADE. 60 acres, about 3½ miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house of 4 rooms, good cellar, well and necessary out-buildings. All under good cultivation, except 10 acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding-house; a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

800 ACRES in Piatt Co., mostly prairie. Price, $20.00 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.
April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE
Railway Passengers'
Assurance Co.,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
Issues tickets of Insurance against
ACCIDENT.
Cash Capital, $300,000,
J. G. BATTERSON, President,
C. D. PALMER, Secretary.

RATES
Of Registered Accident Tickets, Insuring $3,000 in the event of Death, or $15.00 Weekly Indemnity for Total Disability.

One Day,	25 Cents.	Five Days,	$1,25
Two Days,	50 Cents.	Ten Days,	2,50
		Thirty Days,	$5,00.

Women Insured Against Death Only.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.
April 1, 1872-d-tf.

THE
HARTFORD
FIRE
Insurance Comp'y,
HARTFORD, CONN.,
CHARTERED, - - - 1810
CASH CAPITAL,
One Million Dollars.
Assets January 1, 1872,
$2,942,071.18.
Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.
WARREN & DURFEE
AGENTS.
April 1, 1872-d-tf

CAN WE AFFORD A CHANGE.

Here is a strong point from one of Senator Wilson's late speeches. Mr. Greeley's plan of "resumption" meets with not the slightest favor by anybody who makes finance a study:

Do you then, gentlemen, wonder why we are prosperous? Why should we not be prosperous? We are fast hastening to resume specie payment, not by following Horace Greeley's advice, and hanging out a notice saying, "we resume," but by following sound, practical ideas, like far-seeing merchants. We are in a fair way to extinguish our debt, raise our credit, appreciate our currency, till it becomes equal to gold and silver the world over.

I ask you, gentlemen, can you afford to change? I ask merchants, mechanics and farmers, who are now prosperous, strong and powerful, can you afford to peril your interests and peril the welfare and prosperity of the country, by deserting the Republican party, and abandoning the Administration?

I knew it was the poor men of this country that filled the ranks of the army; I knew that the toiling millions had to bear the brunt and give most of the blood, and I wanted them and their wives and children to pay as little as possible for the support of the war, and to let the men who were putting their hands into the pack mainly help to carry it on.

I was in England last year, and I encountered tariff men there. They thought that our war resulted from an attempt to impose a tariff on the South. They were unwilling to believe that it was a slave-masters' rebellion. They would like to supply us with their manufactures. They said the laboring man was too well paid in the United States; that the effect was to draw away their best workmen, making labor scarce and wages high. I told him that I thanked God it was so.

APPLES FOR HUMAN FOOD.--With us the value of an apple as an article of food is far underrated. Besides containing a large amount of sugar, mucilage, and other nutritive matter, apples contain vegetable acids, aromatic qualities, etc., which act powerfully in the capacity of refrigerants, tonics, and antiseptics; and freely used at the season of mellow ripeness, they prevent debility, indigestion, and avert, without a doubt, "many of the ills which flesh is heir to." The operatives of Cornwall, England, consider ripe apples nearly as nourishing as bread, and far more so than potatoes. In the year 1801, which was a year of much scarcity, apples instead of being converted into cider, were sold to the poor, and the laborers asserted that they could "stand their work on baked apples without meat; whereas potato diet requires meat or other substantial nutriment." The French and Germans use apples extensively, as do the inhabitants of European nations. The laborers depend on them as an article of food, and frequently make a dinner of sliced apple and bread. There is no food cooked in so many different ways in our country as apples; nor is there any fruit whose value as an article of nutriment, is as great, and so little appreciated.

EXTREME DRESS.--Overdressing is vulgar, especially in women, for the glare of the sunlit and eyelit street. Toilets, even when tasteful as to color and style, denote, if habitually rich and showy, mental vulgarity, their transparent design being by superficial material means to impress the beholder. The refined beholder is unfavorably impressed, suspecting such outward riches to be the mask of inward poverty. A prevalent fashion of costly dressing is a sign of general vulgarity. The finest type of ladyhood would recoil offended from her mirror at seeing herself besilked and befeathered, and bejeweled for a morning walk or drive. She will be as simply elegant in her attire indoors or out as in her manner, and will not exhibit either in this one or the other the slightest effort to out style her neighbor.

HUMOROUS.

Ice water should be drank very sparingly unless the ice is perfectly ripe.

Willie being asked what he would do when he was a man, said he would have his clothes made by a tailor.

The mother of a charming Danbury girl would not let her daughter marry a conductor, because she didn't want her doors slammed off.

Early cabbages in market. Partagas--Connecticut wrapper with Havana filling--range from fifteen to twenty-five cents a head.

Laty Hough will never lecture anymore--in public. She has made a permanent engagement. His name is Gregory.

The two prettiest girls in the town of Fall River, Mass., are chronicled as reeling about the streets, one day last week, in a very "incoherent" condition.

A man who applied to one of our citizens for help for his destitute children, being asked what he needed, said he was not particular. "If he couldn't get bread he would take tobacco."

THE PLATFORM.

The following is the Platform adopted by the National Republican Convention at Philadelphia:

The Republican party of the United States, assembled in National Convention in the city of Philadelphia, on the 5th and 6th days of June, 1872, again declares its faith, appeals to its history, and announces its position upon the questions before the country.

1. During the eleven years of its supremacy it has accepted with grand courage the solemn duties of the time. It suppressed a gigantic rebellion, emancipated 4,000,000 slaves, decreed the equal citizenship of all and established universal suffrage, exhibiting unparalleled magnanimity. It criminally punished no man for political offense, and warmly welcomed all who proved their loyalty by obeying the laws and dealing justly with their neighbors. It has steadily decreased with a firm hand the resultant disorders of the great war, and indicated a wise policy towards the Indians. The Pacific railroad and similar vast enterprises have been generally aided and successfully conducted. The public lands have been freely given to actual settlers, immigration protected and encouraged, and a full acknowledgment of naturalized citizens' rights secured from European powers. A uniform national currency has been provided, repudiation frowned down, the national credit sustained under the most extraordinary burdens, and new bonds negotiated at lower rates. The revenues have been carefully collected and honestly applied; despite the annual large reductions of the rates of taxation, the public debt has been reduced during Gen. Grant's Presidency at the rate of one hundred millions of dollars a year; a great financial crisis has been averted, and peace and plenty prevail throughout the land.--Menacing foreign difficulties have been peacefully and honorably compromised, and the honor and power of the nation kept in high respect throughout the world. This glorious record of the past is the paryt's best pledge for the future. We believe the people will not intrust the government to any party or combination of men composed chiefly of those who have resisted every step of this beneficial progress.

2. Complete liberty and exact equality in the enjoyment of all civil, political and public rights should be established and effectually maintained throughout the Union by efficient and appropriate State and federal legislation. Neither the law nor its administration should admit of any discrimination in respect to any citizen by reason of race, creed, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. The recent amendments to the National Constitution should be cordially sustained, because they are right, not merely tolerated because they are the law, and should be carried out, according to their spirit, by appropriate legislation, the enforcement of which can be safely trusted only to the party that secured those amendments.

4. The national government should seek to maintain an honorable peace with all nations, protecting its citizens everywhere, and sympathizing with all peoples who strive for greater liberty.

5. Any system of civil service under which the subordinate positions of the government are considered rewards for mere party zeal is fitly demoralizing, and we therefore favor a reform of the system by laws which shall abolish the evils of patronage, and make honesty, efficiency and fidelity essential qualifications for public position, without practically creating a life tenure of office.

6. We are opposed to the further grants of public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be set apart for free homes for the people.

7. The annual revenues, after paying current debts, should furnish a moderate balance for the reduction of the principal, and the revenue, except so much as may be derived from a tax on tobacco and liquors, should be raised by duties on importations, the duties of which should be so adjusted as to aid in securing remunerative wages to labor, and promote the industries, growth and prosperity of the whole country.

8. We hold in undying honor the soldiers and sailors whose valor saved the Union. Their pensions are a sacred debt of the nation, and the widows and orphans of those who died for their country are entitled to the care of a generous and grateful people, and we favor such additional legislation as will extend the bounty of the government to all our soldiers and sailors who were honorably discharged, and who in the line of duty became disabled, without regard to the length of time or cause of such discharge.

9. The doctrine of Great Britain and other European powers, concerning allegiance, "once a subject, always a subject," having at last through the efforts of the Republican party, been abandoned, and the American idea of an individual's right to transfer his allegiance having been accepted by European nations, it is the duty of our government to guard with jealous care the rights of adopted citizens against the assumption of unauthorized claims by their former governments, and we urge continual and careful encouragement and protection to voluntary immigration.

10. The franking privilege ought to be abolished and the way prepared for a speedy reduction in the rates of postage.

11. Among the questions which press for attention is that which concerns the relations of capital and labor, and the Republican party recognize the duty of so shaping legislation as to secure full protection and the amplest field for capital, and for labor, the creator of capital, the largest opportunities, and a just share of the mutual profits of these two great servants of civilization.

12. We hold that Congress and the President have only fulfilled an imperative duty in their measures for the suppression of violent and treasonable organizations in certain lately rebellious regions, and for the protection of the ballot-box, and therefore are entitled to the thanks of the nation.

13. We denounce the repudiation of the public debt, in any form or disguise, as a national crime, and we witness with pride the reduction of the principle of the debt and upon the rates of interest upon the balance, and we confidently expect that our excellent national currency will be perfected by the speedy resumption of specie payments.

14. The Republican party is mindful of its obligations to the loyal women of America for their noble devotion to the cause of freedom, and their admission to wider fields of usefulness is received with satisfaction; and the demands of any class of citizens for additional rights should be treated with respectful consideration.

15. We heartily approve the actions of Congress in extending amnesty to those lately in rebellion, and rejoice in the growth of peace and fraternal feeling throughout the land.

16. The Republican party propose to respect the rights reserved by the people themselves as carefully as the powers delegated by them to State and to federal government. It disapproves of a resort to unconstitutional laws for the purpose of removing evils by interference with rights not surrendered by the people to either the State or national government.

17. It is the duty of the general government to adopt such measures as will tend to encourage American commerce and ship building.

18. We believe that the modest patriotism, the earnest purpose, sound judgment, practical wisdom, incorruptible integrity and illustrious services of Ulyssess S. Grant have commended him to the hearts of the American people, and with him at our head we start to-day on a new march to victory.

Jas. Forester & Co.
EXCLUSIVE WHOLESALE
DEALERS IN
DRY GOODS!
Woolens, Notions, Etc.
Close Cash Buyers
WILL
SAVE MONEY
By Examining our Stock before Purchasing elsewhere.
Store: Court House Block, Water st., one door south of Post Office. m14-dly.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith's Hammer & Co's Bank. [111-dew1.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW.
OFFICE:--Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 4 south side New square. [a23-dly

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of Medicine. Office--Over Busher's shoe store

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:--Over Linden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 16, 1872-dwtf.

DR A. D. WILLIAMS,
(Late of Cincinnati),
OCULIST and AURIST.
Has located permanently in St. Louis, Mo. Office: 723 Chestnut-st. Visits made to the country if desired.

St. Nicholas Hotel,
N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS South side Old Square, Decatur, Illinois. Busts and from the cars. aug1-tf

Woods, Gooding & Co.,
--GENERAL--
Produce Commission Merchants
FOR THE SALE OF
Butter, Eggs, Cheese, Apples, Canned and Dried Fruits, And Farmers' Produce.
Consignments Solicited
And Prompt Returns Guaranteed.
Uhlich's Hotel, cor. 22nd and State Sts.
R. M. WOODS,
D. W. C. GOODING,
SAMUEL E. MINER.
October 19, 1871--3mos.

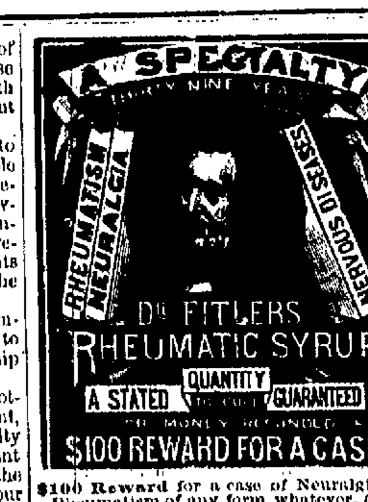
ICE CREAM,
SODA WATER, and ICE COLD LEMONADE,
Are the topics for discussion now. An abundance always on hand, at
Miller's Confectionery.
April 26--d-tf.

AGENTS WANTED for the Lives of
GRANT! GREELEY!
WILSON! BROWN!
And the leading men of all parties. Over 40 Steel Portraits. Just the book wanted by the masses everywhere. Agents meet with wonderful success. Send for circular and secure territory at once. Address ZEIGLER & McCURDY, 503 North Sixth st., St. Louis, Mo.

BRICK KILN.
Another patent has just been granted S. M. Hamilton for an improved Brick Kiln. This Kiln is cheap, durable and simple in construction. Burns Brick (with wood or coal) all hard and nearly uniform in color. Will save three-fourths of the fuel as now used by old kiln. So constructed as to be charged and discharged daily, thus perpetually at work, regardless of wind or weather. Send for Circular to S. M. HAMILTON, No. 8 South Gay St., Baltimore.

U. S. PIANO CO., N. Y. PRICE $290 No Agents. Circulars free.

JOHN W. SMITH. ERIC L. STERRETT,
SMITH STERRETT,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.--Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. Aug. 11, 1870-ly



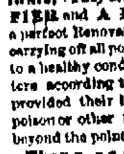
$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure--warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.
$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.
$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry--treating Rheumatism specially for 39 years.
$1000 Reward to any Chemist, Physician, or others able to discover Iodide of Potassa, Colchicum, Mercury, or anything injurious to the system in Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Syrup.
$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.
Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle--six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

HUBBARD & SWEARINGEN
SOLE AGENTS,
Decatur, Ill.
Decatur, April 20, 1872- daw1y.

BELT'S Patent Sheet Iron
ROOFING!
Cheapest and Best Iron Roofing made.
For circulars, references, or other information, address W. S. BELT, Cincinnati, O.

Fellows' Compound
Syrup of Hypophosphites!
The new English invention reaches Organic Diseases, strengthens the Brain and Nervous System. Is the most successful remedy for Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Debility from whatever cause--from close study, grief, unhealthy air and sexual abuses. $2 per bottle; 6 for $10. FULLER & FULLER, Chicago.

Kramer, McClelland & Bro.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
WAGONS!
Buggies and Carriages,



WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Macon and adjoining counties, that they have always on hand a large and complete stock of Wagons, Spring Wagons, Carriages, Top and Open Buggies, all of their own manufacture. Their work is
Warranted First-Class!
As they employ none but SUPERIOR WORKMEN.
IN THE MANUFACTURE of Buggies, Carriages and Spring Wagons, they use the Steel Converted Axle; the Spring Perch Co's Springs, known to be the best manufactured; and the Sarvent Patent Wheel, made by Boyer & Co., of Cincinnati.
REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS, done to order, and Trimming and Painting of Buggies and Carriages,
Prices as Low as the Lowest.
SHOPS--On the corner of East Main and Franklin-Sts., Decatur, Ill.
March 14, 1872--tf.

LAND FOR SALE!
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE 160 acres of Improved Prairie Land, seven miles southeast of Decatur. There is on the place 1½ miles hedge, most of it 2 years old and over. The improvements consist of a story and a half house, stabling for four horses, orchard of 85 trees in bearing.
TERMS--One-third cash, balance in one and two years.
Apply on the premises to S. M. C. DAVIS.

DISSOLUTION.
THE FIRM OF J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS was dissolved by mutual consent, November 15, 1871. J. W. & S. M. C. DAVIS.
Decatur, May 30, 1872-w6m

HAND BASKETS, WASTE BASKETS, WORK BASKETS FRUIT BASKETS, TRAVELING BASKETS, AT
J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

Charles P. Housum,
Solicitor of Patents!
Mechanical Draftsman,
--AND--
Monumental Designer!
POST OFFICE BOX 231,
DECATUR, ILL.
OFFICE:--Room 11, Powers' Block. [Sept. 16, 1870.--1y.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7 A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 8 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 6:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.
I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:
Passenger Trains.
GOING SOUTH.
6:30 A. M.........5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
6:30 A. M.........5:35 P. M.
Freight Trains.
GOING NORTH.
11.31 A. M.........2:40 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
7:35 A. M.........2:25 P. M.
Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.
A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't, } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., }
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 40 p. m
"	Decatur	2 30 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	10 45 a. m
"	Decatur	2 40 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 30 a. m
"	Keokuk	11 00 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9--Leaves Decatur......6:45 a. m.

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	4 55 p. m
"	Quincy	5 55 a. m
"	Decatur	12 10 p. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

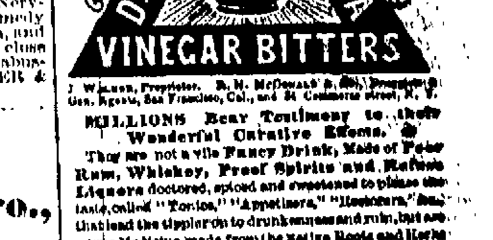
Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 27 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	3 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 14--Leaves Decatur......8:00 p. m.

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mall, West.........8 30 p. m
" " Accom " ....8 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East.........8 40 a. m
" " Accom " ....3 45 p. m
GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
JOHN U. PARSONS, Gen'l Tick't Ag't, Toledo
E. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.



J. WALKER, Proprietor. R. H. McDONALD & CO., Druggists & Gen. Agents, San Francisco, Cal., and 34 Commerce street, N. Y.
MILLIONS Bear Testimony to their Wonderful Curative Effects.
They are not a vile Fancy Drink, Made of Poor Rum, Whiskey, Proof Spirits and Refuse Liquors doctored, spiced and sweetened to please the taste, called "Tonics," "Appetizers," "Restorers," &c., that lead the tippler on to drunkenness and ruin, but are a true Medicine, made from the Native Roots and Herbs of California, free from all Alcoholic Stimulants. They are the GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER and A LIFE GIVING PRINCIPLE, a perfect Renovator and Invigorator of the System, carrying off all poisonous matter and restoring the blood to a healthy condition. No person can take these Bitters according to directions and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and the vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.
They are a Gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing, also, the peculiar merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver, and all the Visceral Organs.
FOR FEMALE COMPLAINTS, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood or at the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters have no equal.
For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood, which is generally produced by derangement of the Digestive Organs.
DYSPEPSIA OR INDIGESTION, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia.
They invigorate the Stomach and stimulate the torpid Liver and Bowels, which render them of unequalled efficacy in cleansing the blood of all impurities, and imparting new life and vigor to the whole system.
FOR SKIN DISEASES, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-Worms, Scald Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin, of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters. One bottle in such cases will convince the most incredulous of their curative effects.
Cleanse the Vitiated Blood whenever you find its impurities bursting through the skin in Pimples, Eruptions or Sores; cleanse it when you find it obstructed and sluggish in the veins; cleanse it when it is foul, and your feelings will tell you when. Keep the blood pure, and the health of the system will follow.
Pin, Tape, and other Worms, lurking in the system of so many thousands, are effectually destroyed and removed. Says a distinguished physiologist, there is scarcely an individual upon the face of the earth whose body is exempt from the presence of worms. It is not upon the healthy elements of the body that worms exist, but upon the diseased humors and slimy deposits that breed these living monsters of disease. No System of Medicine, no vermifuges, no anthelmintics will free the system from worms like these Bitters.
J. WALKER, Proprietor. R. H. McDONALD & CO., Druggists and Gen. Agents, San Francisco, California, and 32 and 34 Commerce Street, New York.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.

ORGANIC LAW OF THE SEXES--Conditions which impair vitality--positive and negative electricity--proof that life is evolved without union--effect of tobacco--influence of fish and phosphoric diet--modern treatment of pelvic diseases, stricture and varicocele, and arrest of development; ten lectures to his private surgical class, by EDWARD H. DIXON, M. D., 42 Fifth Avenue, New York; 64 pages, 25 cents.
"Every pen from the line of Dr. Dixon is of great value to the whole human race."--Horace Greeley.

COLLEGIATE AND COMMERCIAL INSTITUTE, New Haven, Conn. Preparatory to College, Business, Scientific Schools, U. S. Military and Naval Academies. Fall session, 36th year, begins Sept. 13. For Catalogue, address Gen. WM. H. RUSSELL, Principal.

FOR SALE--A fine team of match horses for sale by Ira Emerson, on the corner of North Church and West Eldorado streets, in Decatur. July 20 2w.

AVERILL'S CHEMICAL PAINT-- Mixed Ready for use--Beautiful, Durable, Water-Proof, Elastic and Cheap. Call for Sample Card of Colors. - MOREHOUSE & WELLS

NewspaperARCHIVE®
NewspaperARCHIVE®

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER,
R. K. HAMSHER, } J. R. MOSSER. } Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday Evening, Aug. 26.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.
For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.
Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co. DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MAHLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.
For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.
For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.
For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.
For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.
Clerk of Supreme Court—Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.
For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.
For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
E. McCLELLAN.
For Sheriff,
H. D. JENNINGS.
For County Attorney,
C. C. McCOMAS.
For Coroner,
M. Y. GIVLER.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

"We like General Grant; but we care far more for Republican ascendancy than for any man's personal fortunes. It is in our view of great importance that the opposition shall be kept out of power. For a Democratic national triumph means a restoration to power of those who deserted their seats in Congress and their places under the last Democratic President, to plunge the country into the Red Sea of secession and Rebellion. Though you paint an inch thick, to this complexion you must come at last. The brain, the heart, the soul of the present Democratic party is the rebel element of the South with its northern allies and sympathizers. It is rebel at the core to day."—HORACE GREELEY.

Senatorial and Representative Convention.

The Republicans of Macon and DeWitt counties will meet in delegate convention at Maroa, on Thursday, August 29, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating one Senator and two Representatives to represent this district in the State Legislature.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every three hundred votes cast for General Grant in 1868, which will be divided as follows:

Macon county 9
DeWitt county 6

On the afternoon of that day there will be a mass meeting of the citizens of both counties, in Maroa, at which addresses will be delivered by prominent gentlemen.

By order,
E. M. MISNER,
Chm. Cen. Com. Macon county.
P. S. ADAMS,
Chm. Cen. Com. DeWitt county.

THE UNTRANSFERABLES.—On Saturday afternoon the anti-Greeley Democrats of this county met in convention, and appointed B. B. Richards and Gilbert Howell delegates, with C. A. Harpstrite and M. G. Camron as alternates, to attend the State convention, which is to be held at Springfield, next Thursday. Green Hill, Esq., presided over the meeting, and Jesse Lockhart made a speech, setting forth the reasons why he cannot consistently march into the Greeley camp. Resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting were also adopted, but as we have not been furnished a copy we cannot lay them before our readers. The prospects now are that the State convention will be a pretty large one, and that a full delegation will be sent to Louisville to represent the Illinois untransferables in the national convention.

A CHICAGO dry goods dealer advertises: "The most alarming sacrifices since the days of Abraham and Isaac."

[Correspondence of the Republican.]

THE NEWBURG FIZZLE.

NEWBURG, Aug. 24, '72.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Something like a month ago it was announced that there would be a labor reform meeting at Newburg, on the 24th of August, upon which occasion it was expected that the people of this beautiful region would be addressed by Lord Eldridge and the Duke of Buckingham. Well, the 24th of August arrived, and with it came to Newburg the two worthies above named, together with just *one hundred and ten* of the natives, thirty of whom were Republicans, forty or more boys, twenty neutrals who refuse to swallow Greeley, and the balance Dolly Vardens. To this mixture Lord Eldridge was speaking when your correspondent arrived. His speech consisted of abuse of Gen. Grant and the Republican party. He said the President was a rogue and a swindler, and he knew it, because Lord Buckingham told him so, but he failed to tell us what H. G. would do in case of his election. After speaking seventeen minutes and five seconds he found himself completely exhausted, and retired amid the jeers of that tremendous audience of 110.

The Duke of Buckingham then rose, with all the importance of the Grand Turk, and after occupying just nine minutes and seventeen seconds in abusing Gen. Grant, calling him a thief, a gift-taker, etc., he proceeded to tell the 110, with tears gushing from his eyes, that he was a candidate for County Attorney. He asked the 110 to vote for him, for he was head and shoulders above McComas, intellectually, and if he was elected he would bring the government back to its pristine purity, and would insure us laboring men two dollars a day and beefsteak for dinner. My Lord Buckingham also told us that Brad Durfee was far ahead of McClellan in point of ability, but then he had already told us so many things which we knew were not true that we were ready to regard everything he said as merely fish stories.

The meeting had a very solemn appearance throughout, and upon asking a friend to explain the reason why this was so, the wretch told me that it was the funeral of Horace Greeley. I replied that it was a very well conducted and orderly affair, whereupon my friend remarked that it could not well be otherwise, as the Duke had had a very large experience in such matters.

I believe I forgot to state that there was only one lady present, and she was selling cider to the unterrified. My estimate of the number present is correct, three Democrats who counted the crowd giving the same result.

At the close of the meeting the Duke called for three cheers for Greeley and Brown. Seven brave Democrats responded with a sort of Indian war whoop, and the mournful assemblage then dispersed. D. W. J.

Police News.—About 6 o'clock last night, near Priest's mill, as Sheriff Billy Young was entering the city in his peddling wagon after a week's absence, nine boys manifested a riotous spirit, attacking him by throwing full grown missiles at his establishment. The boys were arrested and taken before Justice Albert this morning for trial, who fined each of them $3 and costs. Such mobs are not to be tolerated.

On last Saturday night Michael Cooney, who resides on Eldorado street, in the First Ward, was up town and got two or three horns of whisky, which made him feel like talking over the good old times with two of his soldier friends, whom he invited to his house. Mike, always generous to a fault, set out a gallon of liquor to increase their joys. Tim Collins and Daniel Flinn called in and got high, when one of them threw a tumbler at Mike, striking him on the head, while the other gave him a lusty kick on one of his shins. At this juncture Mike got in earnest and a general fight ensued. Several parties raised the cry of murder, and Marshal Haworth, who was at the political meeting in the First Ward, was soon at the bloody scene. Humphrey White, on invitation, assisted the Marshal in making arrests. In attempting to enter the house, Cooney threatened to kill them if they proceeded farther, but having the right sort of pluck, the officers got possession of the house, in which blood had been profusely shed. In the meantime Cooney had disappeared, and while the officers were searching in the weeds for the body of a supposed murdered victim, Coony jumped up from under some peach trees, with a knife in his hand. He escaped to the house, threw the knife under a stand, and was arrested. Before the arrest was made a tea-cup and other missiles were thrown at the head of our worthy Marshal. The two other parties fled outside the city limits to avoid detection and arrest, but not until after they had helped to destroy furniture, including a bran new bureau, dishes, &c. At 10 o'clock this morning Michael Cooney was brought before Justice Baker for trial. Thos. E. Lee prosecuted the case, and in referring to the city ordinance said that this was the most aggravated case that had been up for trial for several months. In this single melee Cooney was guilty of eight distinct violations of law, and he thought the fine ought to be sufficient to prevent a repetition.—Mrs. Cooney and her little girl were present in the court room. Mrs. Cooney said that her husband had paid in small fines to the city nearly one hundred dollars out of his wages, and Mr. Cooney thought he had a right to do as he pleased in his own house. Justice Baker imposed a fine of $20 and costs.

It is a pity that the almost helpless ones of the family are compelled to suffer for the disorderly conduct of the husband and father. Much self-denial must be practiced for the simple gratification of passion that leaves its victim with a disfigured face, a saddened family, and the loss of reputation.

MR. GREELEY'S SECESSION HERESY.

Mr. Greeley's champions seek to explain his advocacy of secession doctrines. But there is no explanation. The fact stands out in the clear light of day that Mr. Greeley supported the principle of secession in all its length and breadth, and there is no answer. He has put the matter beyond all possibility of question. Not only did he assent to secession in the Tribune before the war, but he transferred his utterance to his History of the American Conflict after the war, and there leaves it as a monument of his folly. In the first volume of the American Conflict, page 359, he copies approvingly an article which he published in the Tribune of November 9th, 1860. And here is one passage:

"Nay, we hold with Jefferson, to the inalienable right of communities to alter or abolish forms of Government that have become oppressive or injurious, and if the Cotton States shall become satisfied that they can do better out of the Union than in it, we insist on letting them go in peace. The right to secede may be a revolutionary one, but it exists, nevertheless, and we do not see how one party has a right to do what another party has a right to prevent. We must ever resist the asserted right of any State to remain in the Union and nullify and defy the laws thereof; to withdraw from the Union is quite another matter. *And when a considerable section of our Union shall deliberately resolve to go out we shall resist all coercive measures designed to keep them in it.* We hope never to live in a Republic where one section is pinned to the residue by bayonets."

Could anything be more explicit and unmistakable? Did John C. Calhoun or Jefferson Davis ever avow the principle of secession in more distinct terms? Mark the expression: "*Whenever a considerable section of our Union shall deliberately resolve to go out, we shall resist all coercive measures designed to keep them in it.*" An expression, too, not the thoughtless and impulsive utterance of a moment, but adopted and perpetuated as sober history. Can the country be mad that it should think for a moment of electing the author of such a sentiment to the Presidency? If there were nothing else against him, this alone should suffice to defeat him as no candidate was ever defeated before. It is simply monstrous that any party should have the effrontery to ask the people to elevate to the Chief Magistracy of the nation a man whose declared belief is a blow at the very life of the nation.

It is said there is no further danger of secession? Very likely, if the nation is true to itself. But if it knowingly elects an avowed believer in the doctrine of secession to the Presidency, who can tell what may not be attempted? A large portion of the South still believe in the "lost cause." Many of the leaders have expressed unabated confidence in the ultimate triumph of their purposes. Jefferson Davis told them to wait until the North was divided, and then would be their time to strike. They are rushing with eager zeal to the support of Greeley for the very reason that he has advocated the doctrine of secession, and because they believe that in his election they would achieve a victory. Elect a man to the Presidency who declares that "if a considerable portion of the South deliberately resolve to go out, he will resist all coercive measures to keep them out," and it would be the very opportunity of the secessionists. Is the nation beside itself that it should think of committing suicide?—*Albany Evening Journal.*

BUCKINGHAM opened the campaign at Newburg at Saturday. He says he had not less than —— a great many people to hear him, and though his modesty will not allow him to say that he made a good speech, we have no doubt that such is the fact, in proof which we triumphantly refer our readers to the letter of our Newburg correspondent. His sketch was "taken on the spot," and we have every reason to believe that it is accurate. Consequently, we can assure our readers that, as usual, Buckingham made a good speech.

ACCORDING to Governor Hoffman in the Baltimore Convention, New York is good for a Democratic majority of 100,000; but it is a notable fact that the only men prominently mentioned as Democratic candidates for the Governorship positively decline to run. Judge Church conceals his reason; Governor Hoffman has the independent candor to admit that he would not take the nomination again because "it is asserted that my official action on the memorable 12th of July has arrayed in personal hostility to me a large body of voters, and that their opposition would endanger the Federal and State tickets, the success of which I desire to promote." Evidently the New York Democracy is in a bad way. The party is demoralized, and a Pharaoh is wanted to lead the host into the Red sea.

Thirty-two States have chosen delegates to the Louisville Convention.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P.M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

POLITICAL.

THINGS LOOKING UP IN PENNSYLVANIA.

THE WEST VIRGINIA ELECTION.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC REVERSE.

HORACE MAKETH ANOTHER SPEECH.

Items of Foreign News.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The West Virginia election returns come in slowly but enough has been received here to make it certain that the new constitution has been defeated, while Governor Jacobs was indorsed by a re-election. There were several objectionable features in the constitution which placed it in almost conflict with the Federal constitution. The provisions which would have excluded colored voters from office appears to have received a heavier negative vote than the instrument of which it was to have been a part.

Considerable doubt has been felt as to what bearing this contest would have on the Presidential contest. The Republican managers here, and in the State itself, feel perfectly well contented at the result, as it now appears that Governor Jacobs is, with Representative Davis, an avowed anti-Greeley Democrat. No special attention has been called to this fact, but it has nevertheless been known ever since the Baltimore convention. The fight against the Constitution had been on a coalition basis, as no other course was open, and the Presidency did not enter into it. Republicans here expect that Jacobs and Davis, with a considerable portion of the Democracy, will support the Louisville nominees, in which case the Republicans will carry the State by a plurality vote. The State election for Governor and Legislature will be held in October, that being the time fixed by the present Constitution.

D. C. Forney, editor of the Sunday Chronicle, has just returned from an extended tour through New York and Pennsylvania, and in his paper this morning, he expresses the opinion that General Grant's real strength is just beginning to be felt by the other side. Mr. Greeley's nomination at first developed great strength, but is now failing more rapidly than it gained. New York, Mr. Forney believes, will be carried by the Republicans, and the nomination of Gen. Dix has greatly strengthened their chances. Of Pennsylvania Forney speaks dubiously, but insists that Grant is all right, though he evidently expects Hartranft will be defeated.

Other information shows that the real test of the popular strength will be measured by the votes cast for the Republican Congressman at-large Judge Schofield it is expected will have a majority of from 15,000 to 20,000. If Hartranft is defeated, it will be by a very small vote, probably not more than 3000.

FROM CHAMPAIGN.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Aug. 25.—A fire broke out at six o'clock this evening, in the steam flouring mill situated on the south side of Main street, adjoining the Illinois Central railroad. The flames soon communicated to an elevator and grain shed adjoining, and then swept across Main street to an agricultural implement warehouse and a row of six two-story frame buildings, all of which were speedily consumed.

The fire was the largest ever known in this city, and the loss nearly $100,000.

The mill and elevator was owned by Mr. Carley and operated by Mr. Finch. They were partly filled with flour and grain, and the loss is estimated at $40,000. The warehouse was well supplied with agricultural machinery owned by W. H. McAllister; loss $20,000. The frame shops lying west of the warehouse were occupied by Lough & Loed, dealers in clothing, G. E. Hessel and other parties engaged in various kinds of retail business; loss $15,000. Two coal yards were also burned, the loss on which cannot be accurately given.

The insurance is unknown, as underwriters have not had time to figure up. The mill and elevator were probably well insured, but on the row of houses there are risks amounting to $2200, $1000 of which is in the North American of Philadelphia.

The Doane House was badly damaged with water, and Burnstein & Brother's clothing house, from the breaking of windows by the explosion.

FOREIGN NEWS.

SPAIN.

MADRID, August 25.—The elections for members of the Cortes progresses quietly and no disturbances are reported. The Carlists abstain from voting. No official returns have yet been received but from the general indication it is believed that the election will result in a large majority in favor of the government.

FROM WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, W. Va., August 25.—Reports to the Intelligencer from thirty-three counties give Jacobs, Independent Democrat, within a few votes of 6,000 majority for Governor. This is more likely to be increased than diminished by the twenty-one counties yet to be heard from. The Democrats concede Jacobs' election by 5,000 or 6,000 majority. Thirty-three counties give a majority of 1,000 against the constitution.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, August 25.—Charles O'Conor for the past two days has been besieged by reporters, but has resolutely refused to be interviewed. He will not commit himself to anything, though it is generally understood he has resigned as Grand Sachem of Tammany and has repeatedly expressed to his intimate friends his willingness to accept the Louisville nomination.

At a picnic of printers' yesterday at Jones' Wood, Mr. Greeley made a speech but so much confusion and uproar was made by reason of some parties calling for cheers for Grant that he could not be heard. After a few remarks bearing upon the subject of labor he retired.

FROM NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, August 24.—The straight-out Democratic convention was held this morning, Samuel J. Bayard presiding. Bayard said that the Democracy of the country would rally round the nominees of the Louisville Convention. One of the resolutions adopted speaks of the commanding talents, stern integrity and unblemished purity of character of Charles O'Conor as eminently qualifying him for the discharge of the high duties of Chief Magistrate, and recommending his nomination at Louisville. Samuel J. Bayard, William A. Benjamin, C. C. Burr, John Kennedy, and two others from each district, were appointed delegates to Louisville.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. Aug. 25.—In an interview last night Senator O'Brien, of New York, pronounced in favor of the Louisville Convention and Charles O'Conor for the Presidency.

GOV. KOERNER'S anxiety to become Governor is telling upon his constitution and health. He is overtasking his energies in trying to answer all the objections which Republicans offer against his availability, and in so doing there is danger that he will impair his health permanently. It is greatly to be regretted that he permitted the irresponsible political scrubs who gathered at Springfield some weeks since to sport with his political fortunes and reputation, by nominating him for Governor. The chances of his going to the moon in an ox-cart are quite as flattering as that this liberal-democratic coalition will elevate him to the Governorship.—*Belleville Advocate.*

LOST.—On Saturday last, between the Rolling Mill and William street, an envelope containing $88.50. The finder will receive a reward of $20 by returning the same to JAS. BULL, at the Rolling Mill. jal9-d1t

1872. 1872.

Authorized by State Insurance Department.

C. H. FULLER,

SPECIAL AGENT of the

CHICAGO LIFE!

INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE—Room No. 6, northeast cor East Main and Water sts.,

Decatur, - - Illinois

Safe Rates—As low as consistent with successful business.

Reliability—Equal to any Company in existence, in proportion to its risks.

$100,000 deposited with the State Treasurer as additional security to Insurers.

Prompt and careful attention to all business entrusted to this Agency.

Loans on Farm Lands negotiated for Policy Holders.

Look at the Advantages

1st. IT IS AN ALL CASH COMPANY, therefore it meets all its obligations in cash.
2d. It is a Western Company, receiving the highest rate of interest on its assets.
3d. Your dividends are available, and can be used to pay your premium, after the first year, thereby enabling you to carry a large policy.
4th. Its capital is deposited with the State Treasurer for the permanent security of its policy holders.
5th. It issues policies on all the approved plans with and without profits.
6th. All its policies are non-forfeiting.
7th. The company is in your midst, managed by men well known throughout the West.
8th. The Chicago Life has a business well established.
9th. With a Cash Capital and Cash Assets steadily increasing securely invested; with economy in its management, and a past success not surpassed by any company of its age, you cannot do a better thing than to take a policy in the Chicago Life Insurance Company.

LIBERALITY in assisting parties to keep their policies in force, and PROMPTITUDE in the settlement of claims.

C. H. FULLER,

aug9-d1m-w2m SPECIAL AGENT.

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that I have received the payment upon three policies in the Chicago Life Insurance Company, on the life of my brother, William McCay, deceased, for $5,000 total. The loss was paid as soon as the proofs were furnished, and I hereby express my thanks to the officers, and also to the agent at Decatur, Mr. Chas. H. Fuller, for their kindness and prompt payment of said insurance, and recommend said Company to all desiring Life Insurance in a *prompt and reliable company*, as the "Chicago Life Insurance of Chicago" has proven itself worthy to be so called.

Very respectfully,
PALLAS McCAY,
Adm'r of the estate of Wm. McCay, dec'd.
CHAMPAIGN CO., ILL., July, 1872.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. feb6,'72

DRY GOODS.

Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of

S. D. LUDDEN & CO

13 EAST MAIN STREET,

And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar.

We have been in earnest in our advertisements of closing out sales from the first, and all will see it too, (even if incredulous before,) who come and observe our prices. Good goods going without regard to value.

(SHELLABARGER'S OLD STAND.)

June 12, 1872—d-tf.

W. E. WILSON,

BOOKSELLER,

IS CONSTANTLY RECEIVING NEW GOODS,

And his patrons are gratified to find that his prices are so low.

☞ If you would Save Money, and be kindly treated, get your Books, Stationery, Pictures, and everything in that line, at W. E. WILSON'S.

Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

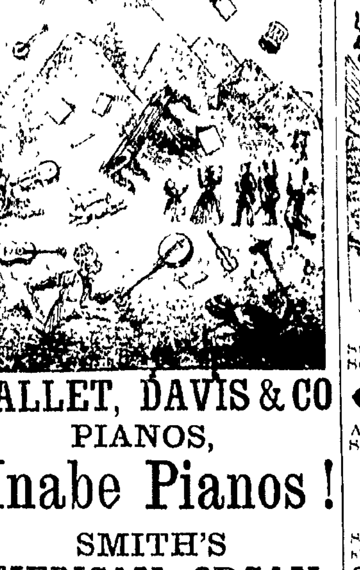
THE BEST

Musical Instruments

IN THE WORLD

FOR SALE BY

G. F. HARGIS!



HALLET, DAVIS & CO PIANOS,

Knabe Pianos!

SMITH'S

AMERICAN ORGAN

VIOLINS,

GUITARS,

FLUTES,

SHEET MUSIC, ETC.

IF YOU WANT ANYTHING IN THE

MUSIC LINE,

CALL ON

G. F. HARGIS,

Over Latdnberger & Sutton's Book Store

17

EAST MAIN STREET.

April 1-d&w1y.

D. A. MAFFIT W. W. FOSTER

Maffit & Foster,

DEALERS IN

PURE MILK AND ICE.

CUSTOMERS SUPPLIED in any part of the city. Orders left with us ... FORTY HEAD of ... Cows ...

RICH CREAM!

Furnished on Short Notice.

ORDERS left at News Depot ... P. O. box ... will receive prompt attention.

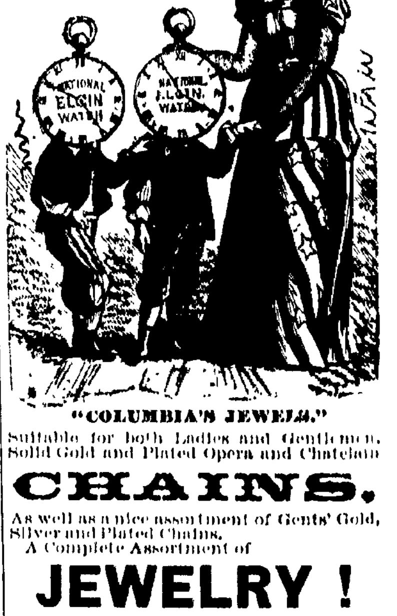
A New Arrival!

—OF—

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN

Gold and Silver

WATCHES,



"COLUMBIA'S JEWELS."

Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen. Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

CHAINS.

As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold, Silver and Plated Chains.

A Complete Assortment of

JEWELRY!

Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

Seth Thomas Clocks!

With and without Calender,

—ALSO,—

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

☞ Come and see the ☜

CRYPTOCHYLON ICE PITCHER!

AGENT FOR THE

Accommodating Spectacle!

With French Aeromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.

☞ All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21, 1872—d 3m.

BOARDING. A few boarders can be accommodated with board and lodging, at the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.

W. N. ZIMMERMAN.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, my wife Susan has left my bed and board Monday, July 29, 1872, without just cause or provocation, notice is hereby given that I will pay no bills of her contracting from and after this date. My daughter, Eleanor Tyler, having also forsaken me and accompanied her, I give notice also that I will pay no bills contracted by her. S. G. TYLER.

Decatur, July 30, 1872—d-1w.

THE GA...

We ar...

And NOT ... Goods; and ... that

WE WI...

Have to-d... Grass Line... light color... Lace Point... goods, to ... MUST be ... A Splendid ... Call soon.

H...

☞ We... sell Cheap.

May 21, 1872-d1y.

$1,00...

In thre...

Agents can make ... ing the Greatest Boo...

STRU...

'7...

The Issues and Ca... Political Campaign, ... Sketches of all the C... and Vice President.

History an...

Of the Great Politica... Public Men and M... GRANT'S ADMINIS...

THE QUE...

HORACE

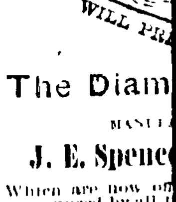
Everett C...

A Book of about 50... lustrated. The illus... Henry Stephens, of ... this work, and are ... pronounced the fines... ous and grave, yet ... Campaign we are jus... is a well-known wri... the Chicago *Tribune*... mission given. If yo... SEND ONE DOLLA... territory at once. ... UNION ...

July 4-4w.]

Money Ca...

For Sight...



The Diam...

MANU...

J. E. Spence...

When are now o... pronounced by all ... of the world to be th... natural, artificial he... known.

They are ground i... ion, from minute c... together, and derive ... on account of their ...

THE SCIENTIFIC ... they are constructe... tre of the lens dire... producing a clear a... the natural, health... all unpleasant sens... ing and wavering ... peculiar to all othe...

They are mounte... frames of the best ... used for that purpo...

THEIR FINISH ...

CANNOT ...

CAUTION.—None ... their trade mark st...

Birely, A...

JEWELERS A...

Sole Agents for ...

From whom they c... price are not sup... goods

CHANCE...

S...

In the Circuit Cou...

Lewis F. Houck ... Louisa Hamilto... Augustus Knigh...

IN C...

NOTICE IS HE... above entitle... the Circuit Court ... of Macon, and tha... in said cause ret... term of said Court ... House in Decatur, ... the

22nd Day of ...

When ... Owners ... ed to appear and ta... filed in said cause, ... pro confesso again... swering, and ... cause will be h... TOMISO...

NELSON & ROB...

Decatur, May 2...

BABY CARR... AMBULATO... CARTS, G... CHEAP AT ... J. H. L...

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®.com

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER,
E. K. HAMSHER, J. R. MOSSER, } Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:
Monday Evening, Aug. 26.

National Republican Ticket.

For President,
ULYSSES S. GRANT,
OF ILLINOIS.
For Vice President,
HENRY WILSON,
OF MASS.
Presidential Electors:
At Large—HENRY GREENEBAUM, of Cook Co.
DAVID T. LINEGAR, of Alexander.
1st District—CHAUNCEY T. BOWEN.
2d District—LESTER L. BOND.
3d District—MAHLON D. OGDEN.
4th District—RICHARD L. DIVINE.
5th District—JAMES SHAW.
6th District—NORMAN H. RYAN.
7th District—IRUS COY.
8th District—JOSEPH J. CASSEL.
9th District—WM. SELDEN GALE.
10th District—W. D. HENDERSON.
11th District—MOSES M. BANE.
12th District—M. H. CHAMBERLAIN.
13th District—HUGH FULLERTON.
14th District—MARTIN B. THOMPSON.
15th District—J. W. WILKIN.
16th District—JOHN P. VAN DORSTON.
17th District—JOHN H. YEAGER.
18th District—JOHN DOUGHERTY.
19th District—WILLIAM H. ROBINSON.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
RICHARD J. OGLESBY,
OF MACON.
For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN L. BEVERIDGE,
OF COOK.
For Auditor,
CHARLES E. LIPPINCOTT,
OF CASS.
For Secretary of State,
GEORGE H. HARLOW,
OF TAZEWELL.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
OF ST. CLAIR.
For Attorney-General,
JAMES K. EDSALL,
OF LEE.
Clerk of Supreme Court—Central Grand Division,
E. C. HAMBURGER,
OF ADAMS.
For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
OF DOUGLAS CO.
For Member of the Board of Equalization,
JOSEPH G. ENGLISH,
OF VERMILLION CO.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
E. McCLELLAN.
For Sheriff,
H. D. JENNINGS.
For County Attorney,
C. C. McCOMAS.
For Coroner,
M. Y. GIVLER.

"We are led by him who first taught our armies to conquer in the West, and subsequently in the East also. Richmond would not come to us till we sent Grant after it, and then it had to come. He has never yet been defeated, and he never will be."—HORACE GREELEY.

"We like General Grant; but we care far more for Republican ascendancy than for any man's personal fortunes. It is in our view of great importance that the opposition shall be kept out of power. For a Democratic national triumph means a restoration to power of those who deserted their seats in Congress and their places under the last Democratic President, to plunge the country into the Red Sea of secession and Rebellion. Though you paint an inch thick, to this complexion you must come at last. The brain, the heart, the soul of the present Democratic party is the rebel element of the South with its northern allies and sympathizers. It is rebel at the core to day."—HORACE GREELEY.

Senatorial and Representative Convention.

The Republicans of Macon and DeWitt counties will meet in delegate convention at Macon, on Thursday, August 29, 1872, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating one Senator and two Representatives to represent this district in the State Legislature.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every three hundred votes cast for General Grant in 1868, which will be divided as follows:

Macon county............................ 9
DeWitt county............................ 4

On the afternoon of that day there will be a mass meeting of the citizens of both counties, in Macon, at which addresses will be delivered by prominent gentlemen.

By order,
E. M. MISNER,
Chm. Cen. Com. Macon county.
P. S. ADAMS,
Chm. Cen. Com. DeWitt county.

THE UNTRANSFERABLES.—On Saturday afternoon the anti-Greeley Democrats of this county met in convention, and appointed B. B. Richards and Gilbert Howell delegates, with C. A. Harpstrite and M. G. Camron as alternates, to attend the State convention, which is to be held at Springfield, next Thursday. Green Hill, Esq., presided over the meeting, and Jesse Lockhart made a speech, setting forth the reasons why he cannot consistently march into the Greeley camp. Resolutions expressive of the sense of the meeting were also adopted, but as we have not been furnished a copy we cannot lay them before our readers. The prospects now are that the State convention will be a pretty large one, and that a full delegation will be sent to Louisville to represent the Illinois untransferables in the national convention.

A CHICAGO dry goods dealer advertises: "The most alarming sacrifices since the days of Abraham and Isaac."

[Correspondence of the Republican.]

THE NEWBURG FIZZLE.

NEWBURG, Aug. 24, '72.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Something like a month ago it was announced that there would be a labor reform meeting at Newburg, on the 24th of August, upon which occasion it was expected that the people of this beautiful region would be addressed by Lord Eldridge and the Duke of Buckingham. Well, the 24th of August arrived, and with it came to Newburg the two worthies above named, together with just *one hundred and ten* of the natives, thirty of whom were Republicans, forty or more boys, twenty neutrals who refuse to swallow Greeley, and the balance Dolly Vardens. To this mixture Lord Eldridge was speaking when your correspondent arrived. His speech consisted of abuse of Gen. Grant and the Republican party. He said the President was a rogue and a swindler, and he knew it, because Lord Buckingham told him so, but he failed to tell us what H. G. would do in case of his election. After speaking seventeen minutes and five seconds he found himself completely exhausted, and retired amid the jeers of that tremendous audience of 110.

The Duke of Buckingham then rose, with all the importance of the Grand Turk, and after occupying just nine minutes and seventeen seconds in abusing Gen. Grant, calling him a thief, a gift-taker, etc., he proceeded to tell the 110, with tears gushing from his eyes, that he was a candidate for County Attorney. He asked the 110 to vote for him, for he was head and shoulders above McComas, intellectually, and if he was elected he would bring the government back to its pristine purity, and would insure us laboring men two dollars a day and beefsteak for dinner. My Lord Buckingham also told us that Brad Durfee was far ahead of McClellan in point of ability, but then he had already told us so many things which we knew were not true that we were ready to regard everything he said as merely fish stories.

The meeting had a very solemn appearance throughout, and upon asking a friend to explain the reason why this was so, the wretch told me that it was the funeral of Horace Greeley. I replied that it was a very well conducted and orderly affair, whereupon my friend remarked that it could not well be otherwise, as the Duke had had a very large experience in such matters.

I believe I forgot to state that there was only one lady present, and she was selling cider to the unterrified. My estimate of the number present is correct, three Democrats who counted the crowd giving the same result.

At the close of the meeting the Duke called for three cheers for Greeley and Brown. Seven brave Democrats responded with a sort of Indian war whoop, and the mournful assemblage then dispersed. D. W. J.

Police News.—About 6 o'clock last night, near Priest's mill, as Sheriff Billy Young was entering the city in his peddling wagon after a week's absence, nine boys manifested a riotous spirit, attacking him by throwing full grown missiles at his establishment. The boys were arrested and taken before Justice Albert this morning for trial, who fined each of them $3 and costs. Such mobs are not to be tolerated.

On last Saturday night Michael Cooney, who resides on Eldorado street, in the First Ward, was up town and got two or three horns of whisky, which made him feel like talking over the good old times with two of his soldier friends, whom he invited to his house. Mike, always generous to a fault, set out a gallon of liquor to increase their joys. Tim Collins and Daniel Flinn called in and got high, when one of them threw a tumbler at Mike, striking him on the head, while the other gave him a lusty kick on one of his shins. At this juncture Mike got in earnest and a general fight ensued. Several parties raised the cry of murder, and Marshal Haworth, who was at the political meeting in the First Ward, was soon at the bloody scene. Humphrey White, on invitation, assisted the Marshal in making arrests. In attempting to enter the house, Cooney threatened to kill them if they proceeded farther, but having the right sort of pluck, the officers got possession of the house, in which blood had been profusely shed. In the meantime Cooney had disappeared, and while the officers were searching in the weeds for the body of a supposed murdered victim, Coony jumped up from under some peach trees, with a knife in his hand. He escaped to the house, threw the knife under a stand, and was arrested. Before the arrest was made a tea-cup and other missiles were thrown at the head of our worthy Marshal. The two other parties fled outside the city limits to avoid detection and arrest, but not until after they had helped to destroy furniture, including a bran new bureau, dishes, &c. At 10 o'clock this morning Michael Cooney was brought before Justice Baker for trial. Thos. E. Lee prosecuted the case, and in referring to the city ordinance said that this was the most aggravated case that had been up for trial for several months. In this single melee Cooney was guilty of eight distinct violations of law, and he thought the fine ought to be sufficient to prevent a repetition.—Mrs. Cooney and her little girl were present in the court room. Mrs. Cooney said that her husband had paid in small fines to the city nearly one hundred dollars out of his wages, and Mr. Cooney thought he had a right to do as he pleased in his own house. Justice Baker imposed a fine of $20 and costs.

It is a pity that the almost helpless ones of the family are compelled to suffer for the disorderly conduct of the husband and father. Much self-denial must be practiced for the simple gratification of passion that leaves its victim with a disfigured face, a saddened family, and the loss of reputation.

MR. GREELEY'S SECESSION HERESY.

Mr. Greeley's champions seek to explain his advocacy of secession doctrines. But there is no explanation. The fact stands out in the clear light of day that Mr. Greeley supported the principle of secession in all its length and breadth, and there is no answer. He has put the matter beyond all possibility of question. Not only did he assent to secession in the Tribune before the war, but he transferred his utterance to his History of the American Conflict after the war, and there leaves it as a monument of his folly. In the first volume of the American Conflict, page 359, he copies approvingly an article which he published in the Tribune of November 9th, 1860. And here is one passage:

"Nay, we hold with Jefferson, to the inalienable right of communities to alter or abolish forms of Government that have become oppressive or injurious, and if the Cotton States shall become satisfied that they can do better out of the Union than in it, we insist on letting them go in peace. The right to secede may be a revolutionary one, but it exists, nevertheless, and we do not see how one party has a right to do what another party has a right to prevent. We must ever resist the asserted right of any State to remain in the Union and nullify and defy the laws thereof; to withdraw from the Union is quite another matter. *And when a considerable section of our Union shall deliberately resolve to go out we shall resist all coercive measures designed to keep them in it.* We hope never to live in a Republic where one section is pinned to the residue by bayonets."

Could anything be more explicit and unmistakable? Did John C. Calhoun or Jefferson Davis ever avow the principle of secession in more distinct terms? Mark the expression: *"Whenever a considerable section of our Union shall deliberately resolve to go out, we shall resist all coercive measures designed to keep them in it."* An expression, too, not the thoughtless and impulsive utterance of a moment, but adopted and perpetuated as sober history. Can the country be mad that it should think for a moment of electing the author of such a sentiment to the Presidency? If there were nothing else against him, this alone should suffice to defeat him as no candidate was ever defeated before. It is simply monstrous that any party should have the effrontery to ask the people to elevate to the Chief Magistracy of the nation a man whose declared belief is a blow at the very life of the nation.

It is said there is no further danger of secession? Very likely, if the nation is true to itself. But if it knowingly elects an avowed believer in the doctrine of secession to the Presidency, who can tell what may not be attempted? A large portion of the South still believe in the "lost cause." Many of the leaders have expressed unabated confidence in the ultimate triumph of their purposes. Jefferson Davis told them to wait until the North was divided, and then would be their time to strike. They are rushing with eager zeal to the support of Greeley for the very reason that he has advocated the doctrine of secession, and because they believe that in his election they would achieve a victory. Elect a man to the Presidency who declares that "if a considerable portion of the South deliberately resolve to go out, he will resist all coercive measures to keep them out," and it would be the very opportunity of the secessionists. Is the nation beside itself that it should think of committing suicide?—*Albany Evening Journal.*

BUCKINGHAM opened the campaign at Newburg at Saturday. He says he had not less than —— a great many people to hear him, and though his modesty will not allow him to say that he made a good speech, we have no doubt that such is the fact, in proof which we triumphantly refer our readers to the letter of our Newburg correspondent. His sketch was "taken on the spot," and we have every reason to believe that it is accurate. Consequently, we can assure our readers that, as usual, Buckingham made a good speech.

ACCORDING to Governor Hoffman in the Baltimore Convention, New York is good for a Democratic majority of 100,000; but it is a notable fact that the only men prominently mentioned as Democratic candidates for the Governorship positively decline to run. Judge Church conceals his reason; Governor Hoffman has the independent candor to admit that he would not take the nomination again because "it is asserted that my official action on the memorable 12th of July has arrayed in personal hostility to me a large body of voters, and that their opposition would endanger the Federal and State tickets, the success of which I desire to promote." Evidently the New York Democracy is in a bad way. The party is demoralized, and a Pharaoh is wanted to lead the host into the Red sea.

Thirty-two States have chosen delegates to the Louisville Convention.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P.M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

POLITICAL.

THINGS LOOKING UP IN PENNSYLVANIA.

THE WEST VIRGINIA ELECTION.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC REVERSE.

HORACE MAKETH ANOTHER SPEECH.

Items of Foreign News.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—The West Virginia election returns come in slowly But enough has been received here to make it certain that the new constitution has been defeated, while Governor Jacobs was indorsed by a re-election. There were several objectionable features in the constitution which placed it in almost conflict with the Federal constitution. The provisions which would have excluded colored voters from office appears to have received a heavier negative vote than the instrument of which it was to have been a part.

Considerable doubt has been felt as to what bearing this contest would have on the Presidential contest. The Republican managers here, and in the State itself, feel perfectly well contented at the result, as it now appears that Governor Jacobs is, with Representative Davis, an avowed anti-Greeley Democrat. No special attention has been called to this fact, but it has nevertheless been known ever since the Baltimore convention. The fight against the Constitution had been on a coalition basis, as no other course was open, and the Presidency did not enter into it. Republicans here expect that Jacobs and Davis, with a considerable portion of the Democracy, will support the Louisville nominees, in which case the Republicans will carry the State by a plurality vote. The State election for Governor and Legislature will be held in October, that being the time fixed by the present Constitution.

D. C. Forney, editor of the Sunday Chronicle, has just returned from an extended tour through New York and Pennsylvania, and in his paper this morning, he expresses the opinion that General Grant's real strength is just beginning to be felt by the other side. Mr. Greeley's nomination at first developed great strength, but is now failing more rapidly than it gained. New York, Mr. Forney believes, will be carried by the Republicans, and the nomination of Gen. Dix has greatly strengthened their chances. Of Pennsylvania Forney speaks dubiously, but insists that Grant is all right, though he evidently expects Hartranft will be defeated.

Other information shows that the real test of the popular strength will be measured by the votes cast for the Republican Congressman at-large. Judge Schofield it is expected will have a majority of from 15,000 to 20,000. If Hartranft is defeated, it will be by a very small vote, probably not more than 3000.

FROM CHAMPAIGN.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Aug. 25.—A fire broke out at six o'clock this evening, in the steam flouring mill situated on the south side of Main street, adjoining the Illinois Central railroad. The flames soon communicated to an elevator and grain shed adjoining, and then swept across Main street to an agricultural implement warehouse and a row of six two-story frame buildings, all of which were speedily consumed.

The fire was the largest ever known in this city, and the loss nearly $100,000.

The mill and elevator was owned by Mr. Carley and operated by Mr. Finch. They were partly filled with flour and grain, and the loss is estimated at $40,000. The warehouse was well supplied with agricultural machinery owned by W. H. McAllister; loss $20,000. The frame shops lying west of the warehouse were occupied by Lough & Leed, dealers in clothing, G. E. Hessel and other parties engaged in various kinds of retail business; loss $15,000. Two coal yards were also burned, the loss on which cannot be accurately given.

The insurance is unknown, as underwriters have not had time to figure up. The mill and elevator were probably well insured, but on the row of houses there are risks amounting to $2200, $1000 of which is in the North American of Philadelphia.

The Doane House was badly damaged with water, and Burnstein & Brother's clothing house, from the breaking of windows by the explosion.

FOREIGN NEWS.

SPAIN.

MADRID, August 25.—The elections for members of the Cortes progresses quietly and no disturbances are reported. The Carlists abstain from voting. No official returns have yet been received but from the general indication it is believed that the election will result in a large majority in favor of the government.

FROM WEST VIRGINIA.

WHEELING, W. Va., August 25.—Reports to the Intelligencer from thirty-three counties give Jacobs, Independent Democrat, within a few votes of 6,000 majority for Governor. This is more likely to be increased than diminished by the twenty-one counties yet to be heard from. The Democrats concede Jacobs' election by 5,000 or 6,000 majority. Thirty-three counties give a majority of 1,000 against the constitution.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, August 25.—Charles O'Conor for the past two days has been besieged by reporters, but has resolutely refused to be interviewed. He will not commit himself to anything, though it is generally understood he has resigned as Grand Sachem of Tammany and has repeatedly expressed to his intimate friends his willingness to accept the Louisville nomination.

At a picnic of printers' yesterday at Jones' Wood, Mr. Greeley made a speech but so much confusion and uproar was made by reason of some parties calling for cheers for Grant that he could not be heard. After a few remarks bearing upon the subject of labor he retired.

FROM NEW JERSEY.

TRENTON, August 24.—The straight-out Democratic convention was held this morning, Samuel J. Bayard presiding. Bayard said that the Democracy of the country would rally round the nominees of the Louisville Convention. One of the resolutions adopted speaks of the commanding talents, stern integrity and unblemished purity of character of Charles O'Conor as eminently qualifying him for the discharge of the high duties of Chief Magistrate, and recommending his nomination at Louisville. Samuel J. Bayard, William A. Benjamin, C. C. Burr, John Kennedy, and two others from each district, were appointed delegates to Louisville.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. Aug. 25.—In an interview last night Senator O'Brien, of New York, pronounced in favor of the Louisville Convention and Charles O'Conor for the Presidency.

GOV. KOERNER's anxiety to become Governor is telling upon his constitution and health. He is overtasking his energies in trying to answer all the objections which Republicans offer against his availability, and in so doing there is danger that he will impair his health permanently. It is greatly to be regretted that he permitted the irresponsible political scrubs who gathered at Springfield some weeks since to sport with his political fortunes and reputation, by nominating him for Governor. The chances of his going to the moon in an ox-cart are quite as flattering as that this liberal-democratic coalition will elevate him to the Governorship.—*Belleville Advocate.*

LOST—On Saturday last, between the Rolling Mill and William street, an envelope containing $88.50. The finder will receive a reward of $20 by returning the same to JAS. BYRD, at the Rolling Mill. [illegible]

1872. 1872.

Authorized by State Insurance Department.

C. H. FULLER,

SPECIAL AGENT of the

CHICAGO LIFE!

INSURANCE COMPANY.

OFFICE—Room No. 6, northeast cor East Main and Water sts.,

Decatur, - - Illinois

Safe Rates—As low as consistent with successful business.

Reliability—Equal to any Company in existence, in proportion to its risks.

$100,000 deposited with the State Treasurer as additional security to Insurers.

Prompt and careful attention to all business entrusted to this Agency.

Loans on Farm Lands negotiated for Policy Holders.

Look at the Advantages

1st. IT IS AN ALL CASH COMPANY, therefore it meets all its obligations in cash.
2d. It is a Western Company, receiving the highest rate of interest on its assets.
3d. Your dividends are available, and can be used to pay your premium, after the first year, thereby enabling you to carry a large policy.
4th. Its capital is deposited with the State Treasurer for the permanent security of its policy holders.
5th. It issues policies on all the approved plans with and without profits.
6th. All its policies are non-forfeiting.
7th. The company is in your midst, managed by men well known throughout the West.
8th. The Chicago Life has a business well established.
9th. With a Cash Capital and Cash Assets steadily increasing securely invested; with economy in its management, and a past success not surpassed by any company of its age, you cannot do a better thing than to take a policy in the Chicago Life Insurance Company.

LIBERALITY in assisting parties to keep their policies in force, and **PROMPTITUDE** in the settlement of claims.

C. H. FULLER,

aug6-dlm-w3m, SPECIAL AGENT.

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that I have received the payment upon three policies in the Chicago Life Insurance Company, on the life of my brother, William McCoy, deceased, for $5,000 total. The loss was paid as soon as the proofs were furnished, and I hereby express my thanks to the officers, and also to the agent at Decatur, Mr. Chas. H. Fuller, for their kindness and prompt payment of said insurance, and recommend said Company to all desiring Life Insurance in a *prompt and reliable company*, as the "Chicago Life Insurance of Chicago" has proven itself worthy to be so called.

Very respectfully,
PALLAS McCOY,
Adm'r of the estate of Wm. McCoy, dec'd.
CHAMPAIGN Co., Ill., July, 1872.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [illegible]

DRY GOODS.

Purchasers of Dry Goods should avail themselves of the closing sale of

S. D. LUDDEN & CO

13 EAST MAIN STREET,

And obtain their goods at 65 cents on the dollar.

We have been in earnest in our advertisements of closing out sales from the first, and all will see it too, (even if incredulous before,) who come and observe our prices. Good goods going without regard to value.

(SHELLABARGER'S OLD STAND.)

June 12, 1872—d-tf.

W. E. WILSON,

BOOKSELLER,

IS CONSTANTLY RECEIVING NEW GOODS,

And his patrons are gratified to find that his prices are so low.

☞ **If you would Save Money,** and be kindly treated, get your Books, Stationery, Pictures, and everything in that line, at **W. E. WILSON'S.**

Decatur, July 6, 1872—d-tf.

THE BEST

Musical Instruments

IN THE WORLD

FOR SALE BY

G. F. HARGIS!

HALLET, DAVIS & CO PIANOS,

Knabe Pianos!

SMITH'S AMERICAN ORGAN

VIOLINS, GUITARS, FLUTES,

SHEET MUSIC, ETC.

IF YOU WANT ANYTHING IN THE

MUSIC LINE,

CALL ON

G. F. HARGIS,

Over Lotzbinger & Sutton's Book Store

17

EAST MAIN STREET.

April 1-d&w1y.

D. A. MAFFIT W. W. FOSTER

Maffit & Foster,

—DEALERS IN—

PURE MILK AND ICE.

CUSTOMERS SUPPLIED in any part of the city. Orders by company's ICE Headquarters [illegible]

RICH CREAM!

Furnished on Short Notice.

[illegible] will receive prompt attention. [illegible]

A New Arrival!

—OF—

AMERICAN AND FOREIGN

Gold and Silver

WATCHES,

"COLUMBIA'S JEWELS."

Suitable for both Ladies and Gentlemen. Solid Gold and Plated Opera and Chatelain

CHAINS.

As well as a nice assortment of Gents' Gold, Silver and Plated Chains.

A Complete Assortment of

JEWELRY!

Solid Silver and Plated Ware, sold in sets or single pieces. Also, a complete stock of

Seth Thomas Clocks!

With and without Calender,

—ALSO,—

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

☞ Come and see the ☜

CRYPTOCHYLON ICE PITCHER!

AGENT FOR THE

Accommodating Spectacle!

With French Acromatic Lense and genuine Brazilian Pebbles.

☞ All goods WARRANTED as represented. Goods bought of me

Engraved Free of Charge!

Having had an experience of over fifteen years in the business, I feel confident that all goods bought of me and all watch repairing, etc., entrusted to me, will give perfect satisfaction.

J. L. KNIEPER,

No. 10 Water Street,

DECATUR, ILL.

May 21, 1872—d 9m.

BOARDING. A few boarders can be accommodated with board and lodging at the old Ricketts House, corner of North Main and William streets.

jn5d1f W. N. ZIMMERMAN.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, my wife Susan has left my bed and board Monday, July 29, 1872, without just cause or provocation, notice is hereby given that I will pay no bills of her contracting from and after this date. My daughter, Eleanor Tyler, having also forsaken me and accompanied her, I give notice also that I will pay no bills contracted by her. S. G. TYLER.

Decatur, July 30, 1872—d-1w.

THE GA[...]
We ar[...]
And NOT [...]
Goods; and [...]
that
WE WI[...]
Have to-d[...]
Grass Line[...]
light color[...]
Lace Point[...]
goods, to [...]
MUST be [...]
A Splendid [...]
Call soon.
H[...]
☞ We [...]
sell Cheap.
May 21, 1872-dly.

$1,00[...]
In thre[...]
Agents can make [...]
ing the Greatest Book [...]
STRU[...]
'7[...]
The Issues and Ca[...]
Political Campaign, [...]
Sketches of all the [...]
and Vice President.
History an[...]
of the Great Politica[...]
Public Men and M[...]
GRANT'S ADMINIS[...]
THE QUE[...]
HORACE [...]
Everett [...]
July 4-4w.]

Money Ca[...]
For Sight [...]

The Diam[...]
J. E. Spence[...]
THEIR FINISH [...]

Birely, A[...]
Sole Agents for [...]
CHANCE[...]
In the Circuit Co[...]
Lewis F. Houck [...]
Louisa Hamilto[...]
Augustus Knigh[...]
22nd Day of [...]

BABY CARR[...]
AMBULATO[...]
CARTS, G[...]
C EAP AT[...]
J. H. L[...]

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Goods
ves of

& CO

ET,

ods at
ar.
a car-
ments
from
see it
ulous
nd ob-
Good
nt re-

TAND.)

SON,
R,
EW GOODS,
rices are so low.
and be kindly
and everything
VILSON'S.

Arrival !

AND FOREIGN
nd Silver
CHES,

A'S JEWELS."
dies and gentlemen.
d Opera and Chatelain
AINS.
rtment of Gents Gold,
ELRY !
ted Ware sold in sets or
a complete stock of
mas Clocks!
ithout Calendar,
ALSO,—
ISTRUMENTS!
and see the
ON ICE PITCHER!
FOR THE
ing Spectacle!
ee of Charge!
NIEPER,
DECATUR, ILL.
TICE.

DRY GOODS.

THE GANDER PULLING IS OVER!

We are not over "Being Thin!"

And NOT OVER receiving and selling Cheap Goods; and having a stock of Summer Goods that

WE WILL NOT CARRY OVER!

Have to-day reduced all our Dress Linens, Grass Linens, Lawns, Mozambiques, Poplins in light colors, Ladies' Suits, Summer Shawls, Lace Point, Parasols, and a great many other goods, to ruinous prices to ourselves, but they MUST be sold to make room for other goods. A Splendid Chance for you to get Bargains. Call soon.

HAYS & BRUCE.

☞ We have a Good Desk that we will sell Cheap. H. & B.

May 21, 1872-dly.

$1,000.00!

In three months.

Agents can make the above amount selling the Greatest Book of the age, The

STRUGGLE

—OF—

'72.

The Issues and Candidates of the present Political Campaign, containing Biographical Sketches of all the Candidates for President and Vice President.

History and Platforms

of the Great Political Parties. Facts about Public Men and Measures. REVIEW OF GRANT'S ADMINISTRATION.

THE QUEER RECORD

—OF—

HORACE GREELEY!

BY

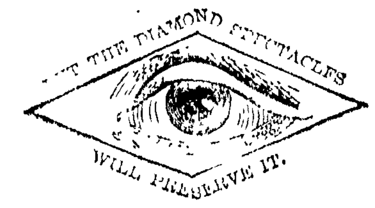
Everett Chamberlin.

A Book of about 500 octavo pages, fully illustrated. The illustrations are drawn by Henry Stephens, of New York, expressly for this work, and are entirely original, and pronounced the finest drawing, both humorous and effective, yet executed on the great Campaign we are just entering. The author is well known as the formerly connected with the Chicago Tribune. The most liberal commission. If you want to make money, SEND ONE DOLLAR for outfit, and secure territory at once. Address UNION PUBLISHING CO., 183 Twenty Second St., Chicago, Ill.

July 1 dw 1

Money Cannot Buy It!

For Sight is Priceless!



The Diamond Glasses,

MANUFACTURED BY

J. E. Spencer & Co., N. Y.,

Which are now offered to the public, are pronounced by all the celebrated Opticians of the world to be the MOST PERFECT, natural, artificial help to the human eye ever known.

They are ground under their own supervision, from minute Crystal Pebbles, melted together, and derive their name, "Diamond," on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

THE SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE on which they are constructed brings the core or centre of the lens directly in front of the eye, producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural healthy sight, and preventing all unpleasant sensations, such as glimmering and wavering of sight, dizziness, &c., peculiar to all others in use.

They are mounted in the finest manner in frames of the best quality, of all materials used for that purpose.

THEIR FINISH AND DURABILITY

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

CAUTION.—None genuine unless bearing their trade mark stamped on every frame.

Birely, Abbott & Co.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS, ARE

Sole Agents for Decatur and Vicinity,

From whom they can only be obtained. These goods are not supplied to Peddlers at any price. Nov 16,'70 1y1.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Edward P. Houck vs. Paschal K. Hamilton, Lena Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Wm. Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

Notice is hereby given that the ... entitled ... is now pending in ... Circuit Court in and for the said county ... that summons has been issued ... returnable to the said July ... Court to be holden at the Court ... in and for said Macon county, on

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

... and ... the bill of complaint ... will be taken ... against said defendants ...

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
... sol. for Compl't.
..., 1872 ... d-4d.

BABY CARRIAGES AND PERAMBULATORS, CHILDREN'S CARTS, GIGS, &C., ALL CHEAP AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO S.

BUY YOUR

FURNITURE

—OF—

WM. LINTNER & CO.,

NO. 8

SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE.

A FULL LINE

—o—

Parlor Furniture,

Consisting of Complete Suits in

HAIR CLOTH,

PLUSH, BROCATEL, etc.

THE FINEST

—EVER—

Brought to Decatur!

Chamber Suits!

In Walnut and Ash

BEDSTEADS,

Of all Pattern and Prices

A FULL LINE

OF

CARTER'S

DOUBLE LOUNGES

The most Convenient article of Furniture in the market.

CHAIRS

Of every variety.

Kitchen Furniture!

Of all kinds.

EXTENSION TABLES

Of the Very Best Manufacture.

Upholstered Work

Of all Grades.

Children's Cabs

Of all styles and prices.

IN SHORT,

THE MOST COMPLETE

Stock of Furniture

Ever seen in Central Illinois.

Decatur, April 8, 1872 d-tf.

Important Notice

All soldiers who enlisted for three years between May 4th and July 22d, 1861, were mustered in before August 6th, 1861, were honorably discharged, and are entitled any bounty can now get a bounty of $100 by writing to JOHN BLEKING, Attorney at Law and Solicitor of Claims, Washington, D. C.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, Aug. 26.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...There are only *four* Liberals in Bement.

...James Forester is expected home this week.

...The passenger train from the East, this afternoon, is several hours late, being reported off the track at Catlin.

...Mr. J. H. Pickrell has taken his herd of short horns to the district fair at Keokuk, which opens to-day.

...Dr. Canisius, of Aurora, will speak in the German language at the court house, to-morrow evening.

...Dr. Curtis is enthusiastically in favor of Grant. Though afflicted he was at the First Ward rally on Saturday night.

...N. A. White, of the Central House, has sensibly put an addition to his business office, which is used for serving hot coffee and a lunch, which will be in readiness for night trains.

...The funeral of little Harry Montgomery was conducted by Rev. J. H. Noble, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at the residence of his parents, near the corner of Jackson and William streets.

...Chas. Martin, cashier and chief clerk in the freight office of the T, W & W Railway in this city, on account of illness, has temporarily resigned his position, and returned to his home in Cincinnati. Geo. A. Dean, who has been book keeper in the office for some time, has been appointed to the vacancy.

...Last evening Rev. N. P Heath occupied the pulpit of the First Church. His theme was "Christ the Model Man." Mr. Heath has so favorably impressed his audience that it is probable he will be the incoming pastor, after the conference session next month.

...Rev. Mr. Sharp, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Bement, is enjoying a leave of absence in Ohio, and Rev. Joseph Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church, in that village, has been rusticating at Bloomington, since which time the citizens have been at a loss to know what to do in case of matrimonial calls and funeral rites. One morning last week parties were invited to lay out a corpse, but the sick man revived, and will probably remain for some time after the return of the ministers.

Death of an Old Lady.—Mrs. Elkin, wife of Col. Wm. F. Elkin, who has been an invalid for the last ten years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her son-in-law, E. A. Jones, just north of the city. The deceased, after a period of intense suffering, had been gradually sinking for some days, and on Saturday evening she fell into a quiet slumber, from which she never awoke, passing away peacefully and without a struggle. The remains were taken to Springfield for interment this morning, a special car having been chartered for the occasion.

The deceased was 73 years of age, and was, with her husband, among the earliest of the settlers of Sangamon county, where many of their descendants still reside.

Funeral Obsequies.—An unusually large audience was present at the First M. E. Church yesterday morning to witness the funeral services of Rev. E. G. Falconer which were conducted by Rev. N. P. Heath, of Jacksonville, who selected the following text

The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.

But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.—I Cor. 15—56 57.

After an able and interesting exposition of the text, and an eloquent description of the Christian's victory, the speaker referred more especially to the ministerial life of of the deceased. The usual Masonic services were performed at the cemetery.

Fatal Accident.—On Thursday last, near Bement, while Lewis Fuhlmer was standing between a span of mules, hitching them to a plow, they took flight and ran away. Mr. Fuhlmer was knocked down and dragged with the point of the plow pressing against him, nearly one hundred feet. His thigh was almost severed from his body and he also received internal injuries, from the effects of which he died on Saturday night. The deceased was a German and leaves a large family.

Man Killed.—On last Saturday morning a man by the name of Lewis went to a drug store in Catlin, a station west of Danville, to get some whisky for his wife, who was very ill. As Lewis took pleasure in sharing with his wife in her joys and sorrows, especially the former, he imbibed freely of her medicine, and when on his way home, a short distance from Catlin, he laid down and went to sleep with his head resting on the track. The early morning train struck him, killing him instantly. Whisky did it.

Wanted.—A fifer for the Tanner Company. Enquire of Lamar Curtis, at Forester's store

THE FIRST WARD!

Rousing Meeting on Saturday Night.

From the extensive preparations made by the wide-awake Republicans of the First Ward, people were led to expect a somewhat enthusiastic meeting on Saturday night, but nobody was prepared for the unprecedented success which crowned the efforts of those who had the matter in charge. When the large crowd from "up town," headed by Foster's Silver Cornet Band, arrived at the place where the meeting was to be held, an immense concourse of the citizens of the First Ward had already congregated, and a huge bonfire lighted up the broad common. Temporary seats had been prepared near a large cottonwood tree, from the branches of which a mammoth flag floated.

The meeting was called to order by Hon. H. B. Durfee, who stated that it was proposed to organize a First Ward Grant and Wilson club, whereupon the following officers were elected:

President—D. W. Samuel, of the Decatur Rolling Mill.

Vice Presidents—Thos. Hamilton, of the Central Iron Works; J. M. Wilson, of Wilson & Drake, boiler manufacturers; W. H. Gipson, of Elwood & Co's Planing Mill; Thos. L. Antrim, of Lintner & Co's Furniture Factory; Solomon H. Dwight, of the Decatur Agricultural Works; W. H. Myers, of Boyd, Haskell & Co., Woolen Mill; John B. Shellabarger, of Shellabarger & Co's Mills.

Secretary—Thomas Gibbon, of the Decatur Rolling Mill.

Treasurer—Daniel Gahman, of Gahman & Wicks, wagon manufacturers.

Mr. Samuel being unavoidably detained at home, Vice-President Hamilton was called to the chair, after which H. B. Durfee addressed the meeting in a speech of considerable length, discussing the issues before the people in a very able manner. He read a number of extracts from the speeches of the Greeleyite leaders in the South, to show that they hoped to gain through the ballot box what they failed to win by the sword. Mr. Durfee, toward the close of his speech, said that a good many people were anxious to know whether he intended to vote for his nephew for circuit clerk. He said that while he thought a great deal of "Brad," and believed him to be a good man, he did not like the mangy crowd he was in, and therefore could not support him.

Hon. A. B. Bunn was the next speaker. He was laboring under the disadvantage of having been sick for some time, but, nevertheless, made a splendid speech, reviewing the political records of some of the Liberal leaders, and making some sensible and pertinent remarks upon the policy of the Republican party with reference to the industrial interests of the country. His speech was received with the most marked demonstrations of approval by the audience.

L. F Muzzy, Esq., was called out at the close of Mr. Bunn's speech, and although the hour was late the crowd remained until he had finished a short and ringing speech, which was frequently applauded.

Notice was given that the organization of the First Ward Tanner Company would be completed this evening, at the rolling mill, and the meeting then adjourned. The spirit with which the Republicans of the First Ward have opened the campaign augurs well for the success of our ticket in November.

The funeral of Mrs. B. B Tuttle yesterday afternoon was very largely attended. The services were held at Stapp's Chapel, Rev. A. Semple officiating. The procession which followed the remains to the cemetery was one of the largest that has been seen in Decatur for years.

Accident.—Yesterday, Wm. Carrier, about 18 years of age, who resides with his parents two miles northwest of this city, was kindling a fire in the stove, and to make a sure thing of it he poured coal oil on the fire, which convinced him that it was explosive. It was a narrow escape from death. William now has a sore arm; it was burned from the wrist to his elbow. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth applied the healing balm.

Attention Tanners.—The Tanner Company organized on last Friday night will meet at Macon hall to-morrow evening. A full attendance is requested.

HENRY McCLELLAN, *Capt.*

Home Reading.—An exchange offers the following valuable suggestions in regard to the literature of the home circle:

One of the most pleasant and noble duties of the head of the family is to furnish its members with good reading. In times which are past it was considered enough to clothe and feed and shelter a family.—This was the sum of paternal duty. But lately it has been found out that it becomes a necessity to educate the children and furnish reading for the whole household. It has been found out that the mind wants food as well as the body, and that it wants to be sheltered from the pitiless storm of error and vice by the guarding and friendly roof of intelligence and virtue. An ignorant family in our day is an antiquated institution. It smells of the musty past. It is a dark spot which the light of the modern sun of intelligence has not reached.—Let good reading go into a home, and the very atmosphere of that home gradually but surely changes. The boy begins to grow ambitious, to talk about men, places, principles, books, the past and the future. The girls begin to feel a new life opening before them, in knowledge, duty and love. They see new fields of usefulness and pleasure. And so the family change, and out of its number go honorable members of society. Let the torch of intelligence be lit in every household. Let the old and young vie with each other in introducing new and useful topics of investigation, and in cherishing a love of reading and improvement.

Now is the Time to get your feather beds renovated for $1.00, at George Cutler's steam renovator, Opera block. Straw, feathers and mattresses at proportionately low prices. [jy16-d1m.

German Meeting.—Dr. Theodore Canisius, of Aurora, one of the most accomplished orators in Illinois, will address his fellow-citizens at the Court House on Tuesday evening.

THE New York *Tribune* gives it out that an insult to Mr. Schurz is an insult to the German citizens he represents. If he insists on dividing the insults of the campaign with his countrymen, why doesn't he divide the profits of the campaign with them also? Why doesn't he give them a share of the $200 he gets for every Greeley speech. —*Mo. Dem.*

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, Aug. 26, 1872.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1.30
" White "	1.35
" New white ₩ bus	1,10@1.25
" New red "	1,00@1 20
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.00
" red " "	4.50
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	.70
RYE—₩ bushel	.35
CORN—₩ bushel	.25
" shelled, per bush	.27
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton,	8,00@10,00
OATS—₩ bushel,	15@18
FLAXSEED—₩ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₩ bushel	
BUTTER—₩ lb	20
EGGS—per doz.	.08
LARD—₩ lb	06½
BACON—Sides,	.09
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.16
SHOULDERS—per lb	.07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3,25@3.50
CATTLE— " "	3,50@6,00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	
" sheared	3,50@4,00
POTATOES—per bu	.25
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	Nominal.
APPLES—	"
" Green ₩ bus	.25@35
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" coarse & long	38@42
" combing	40@44
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	6½@.07
" Salted cured,	8½@.09
" Calf,	,12½@12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
(Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.)	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₩ lb	.25@.10

From B. J. Lang, Boston's eminent Pianist, Organist, and Teacher.

MESSRS. HALLETT, DAVIS & CO.—*Dear Sirs:* The instrument of this kind (Orchestral Grand) which I have examined at your warerooms contained two prominent points of excellence, viz: the quality of its musical tone, and the lightness and greatness of its action.

A piano-forte is so often unsatisfactory on account of its variety in quality of tone in the different registers, that it would seem that much has been achieved when no such unevenness exists. The action of the instrument was not only easy and light, but what is very important, quiet and free from noise in its working. I have mentioned these two features of the *tout ensemble* of the piano-forte because they particularly attracted my attention. Allow me to congratulate you upon your success in the manufacture of piano-fortes, and believe me, sincerely yours,

B. J. LANG.

For sale by G. F. Hargis, dealer in all kinds of musical instruments, sheet music, etc, 17 East Main street.

☞ ☞ ☞ ☞ ☞ ☞ ☞ ☞

OWING to the fact that there is an immense stock of Boots and Shoes for fall and winter wear, now arriving at Powers, Ferriss & Co.'s, and that the season for the sale of new fall goods is drawing near, they have concluded to sell out their entire stock of summer goods at cost, or less than cost, or any way to cash the goods, and make room for the new kinds suited to the approaching season. They will commence Aug. 12th, and continue until all the goods are sold.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 7, 1872.

Ladies wishing instruction in embroidery and worsted work, can be accommodated by calling at No. 21 West North street, where samples will be shown and prices given. [July 31d2m

For Sale.—A portable steam engine, nearly new. Can be seen two miles southeast of Taylorville. For particulars address I. J. HALSTEAD, Aug 15-w3t Taylorville, Ill.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Luke Tozer and against Eli Bell, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. two (2), in block fifteen (15), in the town of Maroa, Macon county, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Eli Bell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 2nd day of September, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 12th day of August, A. D., 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD, Sheriff Macon Co.
August 13, 1872—w-3t.

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of Strohm & Waggoner was dissolved August 8th, by mutual consent, the interest of George W. Waggoner having been purchased by Michael Dempsey. JOHN STROHM. GEORGE W. WAGGONER.

The marble business, in all its branches, will be conducted at the old stand by the undersigned, who respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed on the old firm.

aug8-d1w] STROHM & DEMPSEY.

EDWIN PARK,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law

OFFICE: Over Millikin's Bank.

Dec. 31, 1869-tf.

FARM FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE his farm, lying north of the T., W. & W. R. R., midway between Oakley and Sangamon Station. The farm contains 63 acres of choice land, three acres of which are timber. The improvements consist of a house containing seven rooms, a good barn, a splendid well of water at the house, a living spring in the barn-yard. There are two orchards on the place, both in bearing, a large number of peach trees, and other fruit. The farm is under good, new fence, and the improvements are generally good.

☞ For further particulars, terms, &c., enquire on the premises, or address ISAAC C. DAVIS, July 25-2m*) Oakley, Macon Co., Ill.

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Straily's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

DRY GOODS.

$90,000 Worth of Dry Goods!

On hand; the largest Retail Stock ever Offered to the people of Central Illinois, Embracing the most varied assortment And the most choice styles Of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics. We do not offer goods cheap For 30 days only, But as long as we continue in business. We can afford to sell Woolen Goods At last year's prices; Dress Goods below last year's prices; Bleached and Brown Cottons AT NEW YORK QUOTATIONS; Table Linen, Napkins, Towelings, Quilts, Hosiery, Gloves, Shawls, and Every other description of Goods at MARVELOUSLY LOW PRICES

AT

The Only One Price Store in Decatur

OF

LINN & SCRUGGS

April 5-dtf.

CITY

BOOK STORE!

17 EAST MAIN STREET,

Decatur, - - - Illinois.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON

PROPRIETORS.

Decatur, Aug. 15, 1872 -daw tf.

Empire Glass-Top Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Apple Parers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Mason Fruit Jars—Wholesale and Retail, AT LIDDLE'S

Clothes Wringers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Earthen Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Tin Fruit Cans, AT LIDDLE'S.

Porcelain Lined Ice Pitchers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Self-Sealing Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Lightning Fly-Traps, AT LIDDLE'S.

Silver-Plated Dinner and Tea Knives, AT LIDDLE'S.

Hanging Flower Baskets and Vases, AT LIDDLE'S.

Queensware, First Quality, AT LIDDLE'S.

Bird Cages, AT LIDDLE'S.

Glassware—all kinds— AT LIDDLE'S.

Stoves—the best— AT LIDDLE'S.

LOWEST PRICES, AT LIDDLE'S.

August 13, 1872—d;tf.

Terra Cotta Flower Pots, Hanging Baskets, House Vases, Yard Vases, Fountains, & Wire Hanging Baskets, at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by **W. E. WILSON.**

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court, August term, A. D. 1872.

To All Persons Concerned:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Enoch W. Moore, guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather, and William J. Quinlan, guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather, will by petition make application to the County Court of said Macon county, at the August term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said county, on the Third Monday of August, A. D. 1872, for an order of sale of the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot No. 10, in block No. 10, in Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to Decatur; lot No. 11, in block No. 2, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to Decatur; lot No. 8, in block No. 1, Oglesby & Waif's addition to Decatur; also, commencing 80 feet east of the northwest corner of block No. 1, in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, running thence south to the north line of Cerro Gordo street, thence east along the north line of Cerro Gordo street 50 feet, thence north to the north line of said block, thence west along the north line of said block 50 feet to the place of beginning; also, lot No. 8, in block No. 6, in Durfee & King's addition to the city of Decatur; also, commencing 30 feet west and 100 feet north from the northwest corner of Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to the city of Decatur, thence north 80 feet, west 209 feet to an alley, south 80 feet, thence east 202 feet to the place of beginning, fronting on Water street—excepting 6 feet north and south and 26 feet east and west, in the southwest corner of said lot. Also, the west half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. 21, township 16, north, range No. 1 east of the third principal meridian, excepting 3 31-100 acres off of the north end, sold to A. C. Miller for the purpose of investing the proceeds in the redemption of the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the centre of section No. 18, township 16, north, range 3, east of the 3d P. M., in Macon county, Illinois, thence west 20 chains and 15 links to the southwest corner of lot 1 of the northwest quarter of said section 18, thence north 9 chains and 66 links to a stone, thence east 20 chains and 11 links to the north and south quarter section line, thence south 9 chains and 68 links to the place of beginning, containing 19 49-100 acres, from a certain mortgage executed by William Prather, late of said county, to one Peter Crain, bearing date September 10, 1866, and upon which there is now due about $475.—Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from a certain mortgage executed by the said William Prather to the County Superintendent of Schools of Macon county, bearing date June 20, 1868, and upon which there is now due about $975. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half of lot No. 1, in the southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from sale under a decree of the Macon County Circuit Court, rendered at the July term, A. D., 1871, upon foreclosure of a Trust Deed executed by the said William Prather to one A. J. Gallagher, Trustee, and upon which there is now due about $1850.

ENOCH W. MOORE,
Guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather.

WILLIAM J. QUINLAN,
Guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather.

Decatur, July 25, 1872-20d.

Bird Cages for Mocking Birds, Robins and Canaries, in large variety, and Bird Cage Hooks at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

Handsome Colored Shoes for Misses and Children just received at Wessels'.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Goods
ves of

& CO

ET,

ods at
ar.
a car-
ments
from
see it
lulous
nd ob-
Good
ut re-

TAND.)

SON,
R,
EW GOODS,
rices are so low,
and be kindly
and everything
VILSON'S.

Arrival !

AND FOREIGN
nd Silver
CHES,

IA'S JEWELS."
LINS.

ELRY !

mas Clocks!

STRUMENTS !

ON ICE PITCHER !

ing Spectacle !

ee of Charge !

NIEPER,

DECATUR, ILL.

TICE.

DRY GOODS.

THE GANDER PULLING IS OVER!

We are not over "Being Thin!"

And NOT OVER receiving and selling Cheap Goods; and having a stock of Summer Goods that

WE WILL NOT CARRY OVER!

Have to-day reduced all our Dress Linens, Grass Linens, Lawns, Mozambiques, Poplins in light colors, Ladies' Suits, Summer Shawls, Lace Point, Parasols, and a great many other goods, to ruinous prices to ourselves, but they MUST be sold to make room for other goods. A Splendid Chance for you to get Bargains. Call soon.

HAYS & BRUCE.

☞ We have a Good Desk that we will sell Cheap. H. & B.

May 20, 1872-dly.

$1,000.00!

In three months.

Agents can make the above amount selling the Greatest Book of the age, The

STRUGGLE

OF

'72.

For Campaign and Candidates of the present Political Campaign, containing the Biographical Sketches of all the Candidates for President and Vice President.

History and Platforms

of the Great Political Parties. Facts about Public Men and Measures. REVIEW OF GRANT'S ADMINISTRATION.

THE QUEER RECORD

OF

HORACE GREELEY!

BY

Everett Chamberlin.

A Book of about 500 octavo pages, fully illustrated. The illustrations are drawn by Henry Stephen, of New York, expressly for this work, and are entirely original, and ... Address UNION PUBLISHING CO., 165 Twenty Second St., Chicago, Ill.

July 1 dw1

Money Cannot Buy It!

For Sight is Priceless!

The Diamond Glasses,

MANUFACTURED BY

J. E. Spencer & Co., N. Y.,

Which are now offered to the public, are pronounced by all the celebrated Opticians of the world to be the MOST PERFECT, natural, artificial help to the human eye ever known.

They are ground under their own supervision, from minute Crystal Pebbles, melted together, and derive their name, "Diamond," on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

THE SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE on which they are constructed brings the core or centre of the lens directly in front of the eye, producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural healthy sight, and preventing all unpleasant sensations, such as glimmering and wavering of sight, dizziness, &c., peculiar to all others in use.

They are mounted in the finest manner in frames of the best quality, of all materials used for that purpose.

THEIR FINISH AND DURABILITY

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

CAUTION.—None genuine unless bearing their trade mark stamped on every frame.

Birely, Abbott & Co.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS, ARE

Sole Agents for Decatur and Vicinity,

From whom they can only be obtained. These goods are not supplied to Peddlers at any price. Nov 16, '70 1y1.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.
Lewis P. Henckes, Paschal K. Hamilton, Lewis Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and William Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county ... of the 22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872, ...

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
July 20 1872 d4-18.

BABY CARRIAGES AND PERAMBULATORS, CHILDREN'S CARTS, GIGS, &C., ALL CHEAP AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO'S.

BUY YOUR

FURNITURE

OF

WM. LINTNER & Co.,

NO. 8

SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE.

A FULL LINE

OF

Parlor Furniture,

Consisting of Complete Suits in

HAIR CLOTH,

PLUSH, BROCATEL, etc.

THE FINEST

EVER

Brought to Decatur!

Chamber Suits!

In Walnut and Ash

BEDSTEADS,

Of all Pattern and Prices

A FULL LINE

OF

CARTER'S

DOUBLE LOUNGES

The most Convenient article of Furniture in the market.

CHAIRS

Of every variety.

Kitchen Furniture!

Of all kinds.

EXTENSION TABLES

Of the Very Best Manufacture.

Upholstered Work

Of all Grades.

Children's Cabs

Of all styles and prices.

IN SHORT,

THE MOST COMPLETE

Stock of Furniture

Ever seen in Central Illinois.

Decatur, April 8, 1872 d-tf.

Important Notice

All of those who enlisted for three years between May 4th and July 2d, 1861, were mustered in before August 6th, 1861, were honorably discharged, and are entitled to a bounty of $100 by writing to JOHN ... Attorney at Law and ..., Washington, D. C.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, Aug. 26.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...There are only *four* Liberals in Bement.

...James Forester is expected home this week.

...The passenger train from the East, this afternoon, is several hours late, being reported off the track at Catlin.

...Mr. J. H. Pickrell has taken his herd of short horns to the district fair at Keokuk, which opens to-day.

...Dr. Canisius, of Aurora, will speak in the German language at the court house, to-morrow evening.

...Dr. Curtis is enthusiastically in favor of Grant. Though afflicted he was at the First Ward rally on Saturday night.

...N. A. White, of the Central House, has sensibly put an addition to his business office, which is used for serving hot coffee and a lunch, which will be in readiness for night trains.

...The funeral of little Harry Montgomery was conducted by Rev. J. H. Noble, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, at the residence of his parents, near the corner of Jackson and William streets.

...Chas. Martin, cashier and chief clerk in the freight office of the T, W & W Railway in this city, on account of illness, has temporarily resigned his position, and returned to his home in Cincinnati. Geo. A. Dean, who has been book keeper in the office for some time, has been appointed to the vacancy.

...Last evening Rev. N. P Heath occupied the pulpit of the First Church. His theme was "Christ the Model Man." Mr. Heath has so favorably impressed his audience that it is probable he will be the incoming pastor, after the conference session next month.

...Rev. Mr. Sharp, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Bement, is enjoying a leave of absence in Ohio, and Rev. Joseph Montgomery, pastor of the M. E. Church, in that village, has been rusticating at Bloomington, since which time the citizens have been at a loss to know what to do in case of matrimonial calls and funeral rites. One morning last week parties were invited to lay out a corpse, but the sick man revived, and will probably remain for some time after the return of the ministers.

Death of an Old Lady.—Mrs. Elkin, wife of Col. Wm. F. Elkin, who has been an invalid for the last ten years, died yesterday afternoon at the residence of her son-in-law, E. A. Jones, just north of the city. The deceased, after a period of intense suffering, had been gradually sinking for some days, and on Saturday evening she fell into a quiet slumber, from which she never awoke, passing away peacefully and without a struggle. The remains were taken to Springfield for interment this morning, a special car having been chartered for the occasion.

The deceased was 73 years of age, and was, with her husband, among the earliest of the settlers of Sangamon county, where many of their descendants still reside.

Funeral Obsequies.—An unusually large audience was present at the First M. E. Church yesterday morning to witness the funeral services of Rev. E. G. Falconer which were conducted by Rev. N. P. Heath, of Jacksonville, who selected the following text

The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.
But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.—1 Cor. 15—56 57.

After an able and interesting exposition of the text, and an eloquent description of the Christian's victory, the speaker referred more especially to the ministerial life of of the deceased. The usual Masonic services were performed at the cemetery.

Fatal Accident.—On Thursday last, near Bement, while Lewis Fuhlmer was standing between a span of mules, hitching them to a plow, they took flight and ran away. Mr. Fuhlmer was knocked down and dragged with the point of the plow pressing against him, nearly one hundred feet. His thigh was almost severed from his body and he also received internal injuries, from the effects of which he died on Saturday night. The deceased was a German and leaves a large family.

Man Killed.—On last Saturday morning a man by the name of Lewis went to a drug store in Catlin, a station west of Danville, to get some whisky for his wife, who was very ill. As Lewis took pleasure in sharing with his wife in her joys and sorrows, especially the former, he imbibed freely of her medicine, and when on his way home, a short distance from Catlin, he laid down and went to sleep with his head resting on the track. The early morning train struck him, killing him instantly. Whisky did it.

Wanted.—A fifer for the Tanner Company. Enquire of Lamar Curl's, at Forester's store

---

THE FIRST WARD!

Rousing Meeting on Saturday Night.

From the extensive preparations made by the wide-awake Republicans of the First Ward, people were led to expect a somewhat enthusiastic meeting on Saturday night, but nobody was prepared for the unprecedented success which crowned the efforts of those who had the matter in charge. When the large crowd from "up town," headed by Foster's Silver Cornet Band, arrived at the place where the meeting was to be held, an immense concourse of the citizens of the First Ward had already congregated, and a huge bonfire lighted up the broad common. Temporary seats had been prepared near a large cottonwood tree, from the branches of which a mammoth flag floated.

The meeting was called to order by Hon. H. B. Durfee, who stated that it was proposed to organize a First Ward Grant and Wilson club, whereupon the following officers were elected:

President—D. W. Samuel, of the Decatur Rolling Mill.

Vice Presidents—Thos. Hamilton, of the Central Iron Works; J. M. Wilson, of Wilson & Drake, boiler manufacturers; W. H. Gipson, of Elwood & Co's Planing Mill; Thos. L. Antrim, of Lintner & Co's Furniture Factory; Solomon H. Dwight, of the Decatur Agricultural Works; W. H. Myers, of Boyd, Haskell & Co., Woolen Mill; John B. Shellabarger, of Shellabarger & Co's Mills.

Secretary—Thomas Gibbon, of the Decatur Rolling Mill.

Treasurer—Daniel Gahman, of Gahman & Wicks, wagon manufacturers.

Mr. Samuel being unavoidably detained at home, Vice-President Hamilton was called to the chair, after which H. B. Durfee addressed the meeting in a speech of considerable length, discussing the issues before the people in a very able manner. He read a number of extracts from the speeches of the Greeleyite leaders in the South, to show that they hoped to gain through the ballot box what they failed to win by the sword. Mr. Durfee, toward the close of his speech, said that a good many people were anxious to know whether he intended to vote for his nephew for circuit clerk. He said that while he thought a great deal of "Brad," and believed him to be a good man, he did not like the mangy crowd he was in, and therefore could not support him.

Hon. A. B. Bunn was the next speaker. He was laboring under the disadvantage of having been sick for some time, but, nevertheless, made a splendid speech, reviewing the political records of some of the Liberal leaders, and making some sensible and pertinent remarks upon the policy of the Republican party with reference to the industrial interests of the country. His speech was received with the most marked demonstrations of approval by the audience.

L. F. Muzzy, Esq., was called out at the close of Mr. Bunn's speech, and although the hour was late the crowd remained until he had finished a short and ringing speech, which was frequently applauded.

Notice was given that the organization of the First Ward Tanner Company would be completed this evening, at the rolling mill, and the meeting then adjourned. The spirit with which the Republicans of the First Ward have opened the campaign augurs well for the success of our ticket in November.

The funeral of Mrs. B. B Tuttle yesterday afternoon was very largely attended. The services were held at Stapp's Chapel, Rev. A. Semple officiating. The procession which followed the remains to the cemetery was one of the largest that has been seen in Decatur for years.

Accident.—Yesterday, Wm. Carrier, about 18 years of age, who resides with his parents two miles northwest of this city, was kindling a fire in the stove, and to make a sure thing of it he poured coal oil on the fire, which convinced him that it was explosive. It was a narrow escape from death. William now has a sore arm; it was burned from the wrist to his elbow. Dr. W. J. Chenoweth applied the healing balm.

Attention Tanners.—The Tanner Company organized on last Friday night will meet at Macon hall to-morrow evening. A full attendance is requested.

HENRY McCLELLAN, *Capt.*

Home Reading.—An exchange offers the following valuable suggestions in regard to the literature of the home circle:

One of the most pleasant and noble duties of the head of the family is to furnish its members with good reading. In times which are past it was considered enough to clothe and feed and shelter a family.—This was the sum of paternal duty. But lately it has been found out that it becomes a necessity to educate the children and furnish reading for the whole household. It has been found out that the mind wants food as well as the body, and that it wants to be sheltered from the pitiless storm of error and vice by the guarding and friendly roof of intelligence and virtue. An ignorant family in our day is an antiquated institution. It smells of the musty past. It is a dark spot which the light of the modern sun of intelligence has not reached.—Let good reading go into a home, and the very atmosphere of that home gradually but surely changes. The boy begins to grow ambitious, to talk about men, places, principles, books, the past and the future. The girls begin to feel a new life opening before them, in knowledge, duty and love. They see new fields of usefulness and pleasure. And so the family change, and out of its number go honorable members of society. Let the torch of intelligence be lit in every household. Let the old and young vie with each other in introducing new and useful topics of investigation, and in cherishing a love of reading and improvement.

Now is the Time to get your feather beds renovated for $1.00, at George Cutler's steam renovator, Opera block. Straw, feathers and mattresses at proportionately low prices. [jy16-d1m.

German Meeting.—Dr. Theodore Canisius, of Aurora, one of the most accomplished orators in Illinois, will address his fellow-citizens at the Court House on Tuesday evening.

THE New York *Tribune* gives it out that an insult to Mr. Schurz is an insult to the German citizens he represents. If he insists on dividing the insults of the campaign with his countrymen, why doesn't he divide the profits of the campaign with them also? Why doesn't he give them a share of the $200 he gets for every Greeley speech. —*Mo. Dem.*

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, Aug. 26, 1872.

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.30
" White "	1.35
" New white ℔ bus	1.10@1.25
" New red "	1.00@1.20
FLOUR—white wheat, ℔ hundred	5.00
" red "	4.50
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—℔ bushel	.70
RYE—℔ bushel	.35
CORN—℔ bushel	.25
" shelled, per bush	.27
HAY—Timothy, ℔ ton,	8.00@10.00
OATS—℔ bushel,	15@18
FLAXSEED—℔ bushel	1.35
TIMOTHY SEED—℔ bushel	2.00
CLOVER SEED— "	6.00@7.00
BEANS—℔ bushel	
BUTTER—℔ ℔	20
EGGS—per doz,	.08
LARD—℔ ℔	08½
BACON—Sides,	.09
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.16
SHOULDERS—per ℔	.07
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3.25@3.50
CATTLE— " "	3.50@6.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unshaved	
" " " sheared	3.50@4.00
POTATOES—per bu	.25
PEACHES—Dried, per ℔	Nominal.
APPLES—	
" Green ℔ bus	.25@35
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	30@34
" coarse & long	38@42
" combing	40@44
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	38@48
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	52@55
" Tubwashed	58@60
" and picked	60@65
HIDES—Green, ℔ ℔	6½@.07
" Salted cured,	8½@.09
" Calf,	.12½@12
" Dry salt	.12½
" Dry Flint	.16
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	2.00@2.25
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ℔ ℔	.50@.60
" Common, ℔ ℔	.25@.10

From B. J. Lang, Boston's eminent Pianist, Organist, and Teacher.

MESSRS. HALLETT, DAVIS & CO.—*Dear Sirs:* The instrument of this kind (Orchestral Grand) which I have examined at your warerooms contained two prominent points of excellence, viz: the quality of its musical tone, and the lightness and greatness of its action.

A piano-forte is so often unsatisfactory on account of its variety in quality of tone in the different registers, that it would seem that much has been achieved when no such unevenness exists. The action of the instrument was not only easy and light, but what is very important, quiet and free from noise in its working. I have mentioned those two features of the *tout ensemble* of the piano-forte because they particularly attracted my attention. Allow me to congratulate you upon your success in the manufacture of piano-fortes, and believe me, sincerely yours,

B. J. LANG.

For sale by G. F. Hargis, dealer in all kinds of musical instruments, sheet music, etc., 17 East Main street.

OWING to the fact that there is an immense stock of Boots and Shoes for fall and winter wear, now arriving at Powers, Ferriss & Co.'s, and that the season for the sale of new fall goods is drawing near, they have concluded to sell out their entire stock of summer goods at cost, or less than cost, or any way to cash the goods, and make room for the new kinds suited to the approaching season. They will commence Aug. 12th, and continue until all the goods are sold.

DECATUR, ILL., Aug. 7, 1872.

Ladies wishing instruction in embroidery and worsted work, can be accommodated by calling at No. 21 West North street, where samples will be shown and prices given. [July 31d2m

For Sale.—A portable steam engine, nearly new. Can be seen two miles southeast of Taylorville. For particulars address I. J. HALSTEAD, Taylorville, Ill.

Aug 15-w3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Luke Toyer and against Eli Bell, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. two (2), in block fifteen (15), in the town of Maroa, Macon county, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Eli Bell, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 2nd day of September, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 12th day of August, A. D., 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD, Sheriff Macon Co.
August 13, 1872—w3t.

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of Strohm & Waggoner was dissolved August 8th, by mutual consent, the interest of George W. Waggoner having been purchased by Michael Dempsey. JOHN STROHM,
GEORGE W. WAGGONER.

The marble business, in all its branches, will be conducted at the old stand by the undersigned, who respectfully solicit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed on the old firm.

aug9-d1w] STROHM & DEMPSEY.

EDWIN PARK,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law

OFFICE: Over Millikin's Bank.

Dec. 31, 1869-tf.

FARM FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE his farm, lying north of the T., W. & W. R. R., midway between Oakley and Sangamon Station. The farm contains 83 acres of choice land, three acres of which are timber. The improvements consist of a house containing seven rooms, a good barn, a splendid well of water at the house, a living spring in the barn-yard. There are two orchards on the place, both in bearing, a large number of peach trees, and other fruit. The farm is under good, new fence, and the improvements are generally good.

☞ For further particulars, terms, &c., enquire on the premises, or address
ISAAC C. DAVIS,
July 25-4m*) Oakley, Macon Co., Ill.

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office, over S. M. Stuart's Grocery Store, Decatur. *Prompt attention to business.*

DRY GOODS.

$90,000 Worth of Dry Goods!

On hand; the largest Retail Stock ever Offered to the people of Central Illinois, Embracing the most varied assortment And the most choice styles Of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics. We do not offer goods cheap For 30 days only, But as long as we continue in business. We can afford to sell Woolen Goods At last year's prices; Dress Goods below last year's prices; Bleached and Brown Cottons AT NEW YORK QUOTATIONS; Table Linen, Napkins, Towelings, Quilts, Hosiery, Gloves, Shawls, and Every other description of Goods at MARVELOUSLY LOW PRICES

AT

The Only One Price Store in Decatur

OF

LINN & SCRUGGS

April 6-dtf.

CITY

BOOK STORE!

17 EAST MAIN STREET,

Decatur, - - - Illinois.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON

PROPRIETORS.

Decatur, Aug. 15, 1872 -daw 1f.

Empire Glass-Top Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Apple Parers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Mason Fruit Jars—Wholesale and Retail, AT LIDDLE'S

Clothes Wringers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Earthen Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Tin Fruit Cans, AT LIDDLE'S.

Porcelain Lined Ice Pitchers, AT LIDDLE'S.

Self-Sealing Fruit Jars, AT LIDDLE'S.

Lightning Fly-Traps, AT LIDDLE'S.

Silver-Plated Dinner and Tea Knives, AT LIDDLE'S.

Hanging Flower Baskets and Vases, AT LIDDLE'S.

Queensware, First Quality, AT LIDDLE'S.

Bird Cages, AT LIDDLE'S.

Glassware—all kinds— AT LIDDLE'S.

Stoves—the best— AT LIDDLE'S.

LOWEST PRICES, AT LIDDLE'S.

August 13, 1872—d3f.

Terra Cotta Flower Pots, Hanging Baskets, House Vases, Yard Vases, Fountains, & Wire Hanging Baskets, at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

Stereoscopic Instruments and Views just received from E. & T. H. Anthony, N. Y., by W. E. WILSON.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the County Court, August term, A. D. 1872.
To All Persons Concerned:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Enoch W. Moore, guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather, and William J. Quinlan, guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather, will by petition make application to the County Court of said Macon county, at the August term thereof, to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said county, on the Third Monday of August, A. D. 1872, for an order of sale of the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lot No. 10, in block No. 10, in Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to Decatur; lot No. 11, in block No. 2, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to Decatur; lot No. 8, in block No. 1, Oglesby & Wait's addition to Decatur; also, commencing 80 feet east of the northwest corner of block No. 1, in Henry Prather's addition to Decatur, running thence south to the north line of Cerro Gordo street, thence east along the north line of Cerro Gordo street 50 feet, thence north to the north line of said block, thence west along the north line of said block 50 feet to the place of beginning; also, lot No. 8, in block No. 6, in Durfee & King's addition to the city of Decatur; also, commencing 30 feet west and 100 feet north from the northwest corner of Allen, McReynolds & Co's addition to the city of Decatur, thence north 80 feet, west 200 feet to an alley, south 80 feet, thence east 202 feet to the place of beginning, fronting on Water street—excepting 6 feet north and south and 26 feet east and west, in the southwest corner of said lot. Also, the west half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. 21, township 16, north, range No. 1 east of the third principal meridian, excepting 8 31-100 acres off of the north end, sold to A. C. Miller for the purpose of investing the proceeds in the redemption of the following described real estate, to-wit: Beginning at the centre of section No. 18, township 16, north, range 3, east of the 3d P. M., in Macon county, Illinois, thence west 20 chains and 15 links to the southwest corner of lot 1 of the northwest quarter of said section 18, thence north 9 chains and 66 links to a stone, thence east 20 chains and 11 links to the north and south quarter section line, thence south 9 chains and 88 links to the place of beginning, containing 19 49-100 acres, from a certain mortgage executed by William Prather, late of said county, to one Peter Crain, bearing date September 10, 1866, and upon which there is now due about $475.—Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the east half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from a certain mortgage executed by the said William Prather to the County Superintendent of Schools of Macon county, bearing date June 20, 1868, and upon which there is now due about $975. Also, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half of lot No. 1, in the southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 18, township 16, north, range 3 east of the 3d P. M., from sale under a decree of the Macon County Circuit Court, rendered at the July term, A. D., 1871, upon foreclosure of a Trust Deed executed by the said William Prather to one A. J. Gallagher, Trustee, and upon which there is now due about $1350.

ENOCH W. MOORE,
Guardian of Annie M. Prather and Henry Prather.
WILLIAM J. QUINLAN,
Guardian of Bettie Prather and Frank Prather.

Decatur, July 25, 1872-2w1.

Bird Cages for Mocking Birds, Robins and Canaries, in large variety, and Bird Cage Hooks at J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S

Handsome Colored Shoes for Misses and Children just received at Wessels'.

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

The Daily Republican.

OFFICIAL.

STATE, COUNTY AND CITY DIRECTORY.

State Officers.

Governor.............................John M. Palmer
Lieut. Governor.....................John Dougherty
Secretary of State...................Edward Rummell
Auditor of State......................C. E. Lippincott
State Treasurer.........................E. N. Bates
Sup't Public Instruction. ...Newton Bateman

Congressmen.

Senators Lyman Trumbull, John A. Logan
Representative at Large.... J. L. Beveridge
" 7th Dist.......Jesse H. Moore

Legislators.

State Senators, 10th Dist.... Michael Donahue, John McNulta
Representatives, 4th Dist. William T. M ... chell, Wilm E. Nelson

Judicial Officers.

District Judge........................A. J. Gallagher
District Attorney...................M. B. Thompson
Clerk Circuit Court....................E. McClellan

County Officers.

County Judge.............................S. F. Greer
County Clerk.........................H. W. Waggoner
County Treasurer.......................W. M. Boyd
Sheriff.....................................Geo. M. Wood
Deputy.....................................I. D. Jennings
Superintendent of Schools.........O. F. McKim
County Surveyor.......................Geo. V. Loring
Coroner....................................M. Y. Givler

City Officers.

Mayor......................................D. S. Shellabarger
Aldermen—1st wd Joseph Mills, W. J. Myers
" 2d " ..Frank Hardy, E McNabb
" 3d " ..A. T. Hill, W H Bramble
" 4th " B B Richards, Wm. Gabler
Register...................................Geo. P. Hardy
Treasurer..................................M. K. Hatch
Assessor...................................Fred. J. Smith
Collector...................................H. H. Brown
Attorney....................................J. R. Eden
Engineer...................................G. V. Loring
Supervisor.................................A Martin
Marshal.....................................Jno. Haworth
Deputy Marshal...........................J. S. Hewes
Magistrates. ..A. W. Hardy, Geo. Goodman
Fire Department—Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1.—B. F. Dodson, Foreman; I W Ehrman, Sec'y

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, S. F. Greer, and H. B. Durfee; Wm. L. Hammer, President; E. A. Gastman, Superintendent and Clerk.

Decatur Township Officers.

Town Clerk................................Geo Goodman
Assessor...................................Fred. J. Smith
Collector...................................H. H. Brown
Commissioner of Highways ..A. J. Williams
Justices of Peace, M. K. Hatch, J. W. Bear, J. E. Kinney, T B Albert, G. W. Baker
Constables H Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Woltsel

Board of Supervisors.

Decatur........Jacob Spangler, H Hummell
Friends Creek.............................R H Park
Austin.......................................Daniel Patterson
Blue Mound................................David F Barber
Macon.......................................Norman Falling
Mt. Zion....................................George C Smith
Whitmore...................................Joshua Green
Niantic......................................John C Gordy
Harristown.................................M. G. Camron
Hickory Point..............................A. McBride
Oakley.......................................Read Spencer
South Wheatland.........................Hiram Ward
Long Creek.................................A T Davis
Illini..J C Tucker
Maroa..Jason Rogers
Pleasant View..............................John Hatfield
Milam..Geo A Bartlett

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. J E Moffett, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. J. H. Noble, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STAPP'S CHAPEL, (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. H. O. Hoffman, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. H. Buck, Presiding Elder.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Northeast corner of Water and William streets. Rev. S. F Holt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. ——— rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. Mr. Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. H. Hilmes, pastor.—Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square, Rev ———, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Walsh, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets, Rev. M. S. Newcomer, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ———, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

MASONIC.

MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceding full moon every month. W. H. Gipson, W. M.; Samuel Nowell, Secretary.

IONIC LODGE, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. J. H. Babbitt, W. M., Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer, Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting fourth Thursday each month.

ODD-FELLOWS.

CELESTIAL LODGE, No. 186.—R. B. Mohegan, N. G.; M. Albeltz, V. G.; A. W. Slack, R. S.; J. Gates, P. S.; J. W. Bear, Treas. Meet every Monday; at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT.—H. M. Oberndorf, C. P.; B. J. Schoeh, H. P.; M. Albeltz, S. W., Robert Mohegan, J. W.; I. W. Ehrman, Scribe; J. W. Bear, Tres. Meetings, second and fourth Tuesday every month at Odd-Fellow's Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 65—B Schoeh, N. G., Newton Edwards, V. G.; Wm Towling, R. S.; P. D. Kline, P. S.; Geo. W. Baker, Treas.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

CŒUR DE LEON LODGE, No 17.—Knights of Pythias.—W. H. Spencer, W. C.; C. M. Durfee, W. R. & C. S.; meet Wednesday evenings at their hall, cor of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

CENTRAL STAR LODGE—Meets every Monday evening, in third story of Rucker's Rucker's building, cor. W. Main and old sq. Wm. Towling, L. D. and S. D., D. L. Bunn, W. C. T.; B. H. Righter, W. S.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION Merchant street, over Miss Miller's millinery store 2nd floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $1. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

BOOK AGENTS

Now at work, or looking for some new book, will miss it if they do not at once write for circulars of the best selling book published. Extraordinary inducements offered. Profits more than double money. Outfit free. Address F. M. REED, 130 Eighth street, N. Y.

HARL P. CHRISTIE,

NOTARY PUBLIC AND CONVEYANCER

General Insurance

—AND—

Real Estate Agent,

Represents the following

Reliable Insurance Companies:

CONTINENTAL FIRE, New York.
AGRICULTURAL " "
AMAZON FIRE, Cincinnati.
GLOBE, " Chicago.
ORIENT, " Hartford
STATE, " Missouri.
GIRARD, " Philadelphia.
PENN MUTUAL LIFE, of Philadelphia.
TRAVELERS' LIFE AND ACCIDENT, of Hartford.

OFFICE—City Council Building,
DECATUR, ILL.

Decatur, May 2, 1872—d-tf.

Little Saloon Around the Corner

40 EAST MAIN ST.,

Hackett & Keeff,

PROPRIETORS.

BEST OF LIQUORS AT THE BAR.

Eatables of Every Kind always on Hand.

Aug. 1-dtf.

J. B. EHRHART,

SIGN WRITING,
CALSOMINING,
COLORING,
—AND—

Fresco Painting!

All kinds of BLOCK LETTERS made on short notice.

SHOP:—No. 13 Water-st.—3d story

April 25, 1872—w-ly.

A. C. CORNMAN,

House and Sign

PAINTER,

PAPER-HANGER, ETC.

SHOP over L. M. Gill & Co's grocery store New Square, Decatur, Ill. [feb9,'70.

QUEENSWARE AT LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

JOHN HAMSHER & Co.,

NO. 18,

SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE,

DECATUR, ILL.

HAVE NOW ON HAND

The Largest Stock

—OF—

HARNESS!

SADDLES,

Bridles, Collars, Whips,

FLY NETS,

SHEETS,

HARDWARE,

Etc., Etc., Etc.,

IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.

Their stock is new, handsomely made and durable, and their prices for the same are very reasonable. [may 23,'72-wly

THE

SINGER

Sewing Machine IS THE *Most Reliable* Machine in the market.

Machine Thread and Trimmings.

W. W. Lapham AGENT,

No. 10 Water St. DECATUR.

M. A. MYER,

House, Sign & Fresco PAINTER,

Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hang-

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Shop over Quinlan & Bro.'s Carpet Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

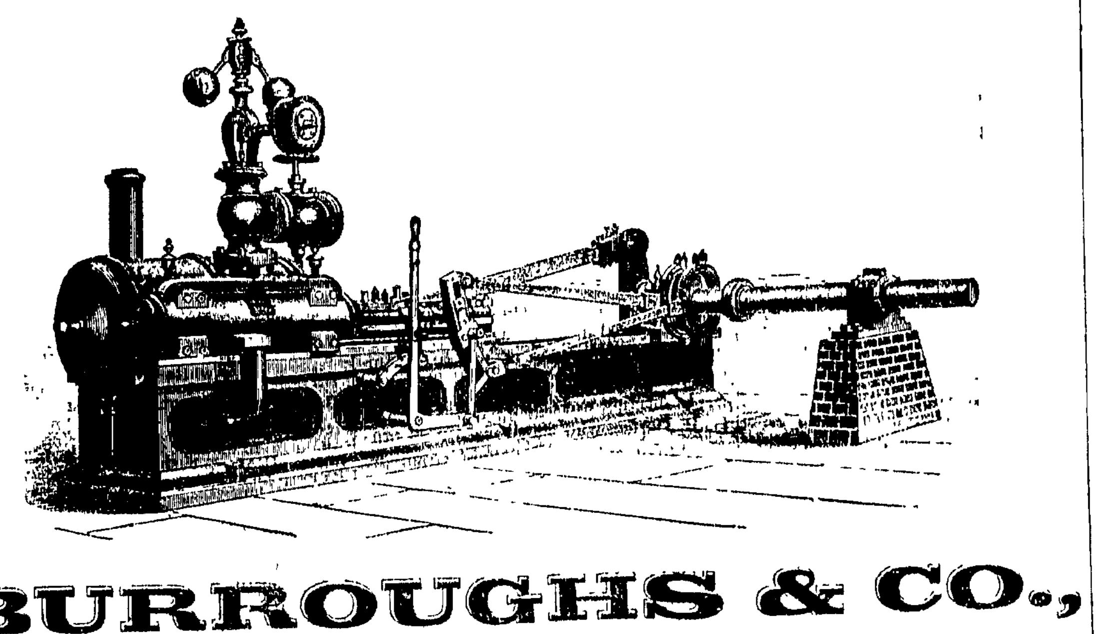
March 17, 1870-y1

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 18, 1872-dwtf.

Central Iron Works,

DECATUR, - ILLINOIS.



BURROUGHS & CO.,

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

STATIONARY, PORTABLE AND THRESHING MACHINE ENGINES, BOILERS, MILL GEARING AND GENERAL MACHINERY.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL KINDS OF HOUSE, MACHINE AND AGRICULTURAL CASTINGS.

REPAIRS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR OLD IRON.

Decatur, April 11, 1872-dly

J. Q. AYARS,

OF MOAWEQUA, ILL.,

Has on hand and for sale at low figures a choice selection of

150 PIGS!

—of the—

Poland & China,

Or Magic Stock.

Bred with great care and purity of Blood. Send for Price List and get the best stock in existence.
June 8, 1871

WM. H. SPENCER,

Practical Plumber.

Steam and Gas Fitter.

Hot and Cold Baths!

Introduced into Houses.

Fountains, Baths, Hydraulic Rams,

Force and Cistern Pumps,

Sheet Lead, Brackets, Chandeliers, Pendants Etc., Etc., Etc.

All orders promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction warranted.
Special attention given to repairing.

SEWING MACHINES

OF ANY KIND,

Repaired as Good as New,

ON SHORT NOTICE

SHOP—In the basement under Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store, northwest corner of East Main and Water-sts., Decatur, Ill.
June 12, 1872—d-tf.

New Millinery Goods

—o—

Spring Styles!

—o—

Mrs. R. C. HAMSHER

BEGS LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE to the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that she is in receipt of the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Millinery Goods ever brought to this city, embracing

HATS, BONNETS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, RIBBONS, etc., etc.,

Thankful for past favors, she respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

STORE:

IN CENTRAL BLOCK

One door north of Warren & Durfee.
Decatur, March 28, 1872.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

THE UNDERSIGNED would inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that he has recently succeeded E. A. Stare & Co. in the Lumber trade, at the old yards of S. K. Swingley, where he will always have on hand

A Large and Complete Stock

Of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, and everything usually kept in his line. PRICES as low as the lowest.

All in need of anything embraced in the Lumber trade are invited to call and examine his stock.

YARD—On Water street, north of T., W. & W. R. R., opposite the St. Clair Mills.

C. P. THATCHER.

May 9, 1872—w-ly.

NOTICE!

—o—

THERE WILL BE A CALLED MEETING of the Stockholders of the Macon County Agricultural Society held at the Court House at 2 o'clock, p. m., on SATURDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of re-organizing under the new law. By order of the Board.
JAMES C. LAKE, Sec'y.
July 18, 1872—daw-td.

WANTED—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a29-dtf

MRS MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 31.

School Books, Stationery, Blank Books, Arnold's, Carter's and Maxwell's Inks, at

W. E. WILSON'S.

Apr. 21-d&w

ICE DEPOT!

Cor. W. Main and Church sts.

Ice Delivered at any Place within the City Limits.

Order from Abroad

Promptly Attended to.

1,000 Cords of Wood

FOR SALE,

delivered to any part of the city, at market prices.
Also, Five Thousand White Oak

FENCE POSTS,

Which will be Sold CHEAP.

MARTIN FORTMEYER.

Decatur, April 10, 1872-dtf.

A. GASTMAN, Decatur, Ill. — GEO. W. GASTMAN Hudson, Ill.

Gastman Bros.,

BREEDERS OF

Pure Berkshire Pigs!

We have Sows from some of the best breeders in the State. Some of our Spring Pigs will be from a Boar imported by Pickrell in 1870

Italian Bees and Norway Oats for Sale

Decatur, Jan. 5, 1871-ly.

David Hamsher,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Saddles, Harness

BRIDLES,

FLY NETS,

COLLARS,

And everything pertaining to his line.
Shop over Stine's Clothing House north side Old Square.
Decatur Aug. 11, 1870-t

House and Lot

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED offers for sale, or in exchange for a good farm or prairie lands in Macon or adjoining counties, his house and lot, No. 110 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. The lot is 160 by 177 feet, and is covered with apple, peach, pear, and other fruit trees, together with a fine young vineyard just in bearing. The house is a good 2 story brick, with 8 rooms, cellar, cistern and never failing well of water; also a good new barn, wood and coal house. For further particulars enquire at the office of the DECATUR REPUBLICAN. S. H. ANDERSON.
Decatur, March 11, 1872—tf.

FOR SALE!

TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE,

WITH ABOUT TWO ACRES DESIRABLE LAND. House built of carefully selected material; is two stories and attic with two story ell; cellar under the whole. The land is high and dry, and has on it about 50 apple and peach trees; also 20 Early Richmond cherry trees—all in full bearing. A number of pear trees, standard and dwarf. Will sell at reduced price.
Call at H. Pasco's Law Office, over Busher's shoe store. JOSEPH KING.
April 5 -d-tf.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—THRESHING MACHINE—I will sell, very cheap, one of A. Gaar & Co's six-horse Separators, and one eight-horse Power, complete, on full time. The machine has been in use a short time, but is in good condition.
July 8-dtf CHARLES A. EWING.

W. F. BALLARD,

DEALER IN

Real Estate Securities!

—AND—

School Bonds!

Money Loaned on easy terms and long time on Illinois Farm Lands.

OFFICE—Council Building, Decatur, Ill.
[may 16, 1 72—w-tf.]

STAMMERING.—Dr. White, 102 East 26th St., N. Y. No pay until cured. References, clergymen and others. Send for circular of cases cured. (Jy 15—w4

REASONS

For Purchasing a

Steinway Piano!

FIRST:

THE STEINWAY PIANOS have been awarded the

First Premium

Everywhere, by the most competent and inflexible judges the world can produce, many of whom were previously prejudiced in favor of other instruments, their crowning triumph having been achieved at the Universal Exposition in Paris, where Steinway & Sons were awarded

The First Gold Medal!

For American Pianos, by the UNANIMOUS VERDICT of the International jury, and placed at the head of all others—the United States not being represented among the jurors.

SECOND:

All their "scales," peculiarities of construction, and various improvements, have been copied by nearly all the American piano manufacturers, and also by a large number of celebrated European makers. As an incontrovertible proof of the great superiority of the New Over-Strung Piano system introduced by Steinway & Sons, the fact may be stated that, at the Paris Exposition, out of eleven exhibitors of Pianos constructed after the Steinway System, two received Gold Medals, (the *first* and *third* prizes), and eight received silver medals, while, of over three hundred pianos exhibited on the old plan of construction, with straight strings, only three received gold medals, and twenty-two silver medals—a proportion of

TWENTY TO ONE

In favor of "Steinway's System" of Over-Stringing.

CONSULT OUR NEXT.

FISH & FOSTER

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS,

For Decatur and vicinity. Are also Agents for the

ST. LOUIS MF'G CO. PIANOS,

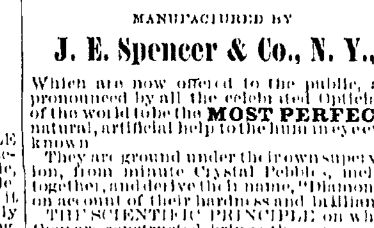
The only Piano that bears a Favorable Comparison to the Steinway in point of *tone* and *durability*.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

Decatur, April 1, 1872.—d-tf.

Money Cannot Buy It!

For Sight is Priceless!



The Diamond Glasses,

MANUFACTURED BY

J. E. Spencer & Co., N. Y.,

Which are now offered to the public, are pronounced by all the celebrated Opticians of the world to be the MOST PERFECT, natural, artificial help to the human eye ever known.

They are ground under their own supervision, from minute Crystal Pebbles, melted together, and derive their name, "Diamond," on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

THE SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE on which they are constructed brings the core or centre of the lens directly in front of the eye, producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural, healthy sight, and preventing all unpleasant sensations, such as glimmering and wavering of sight, dizziness, &c., peculiar to all others in use.

They are mounted in the finest manner in frames of the best quality, of all materials used for that purpose.

THEIR FINISH AND DURABILITY CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

CAUTION. None genuine unless bearing their trade mark stamped on every frame.

Birely, Abbott & Co.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS, ARE

Sole Agents for Decatur and Vicinity,

From whom they can only be obtained. These price, are not supplied to Pedlers, at any goods Nov 17, '70. 1 yr.

Glass Bowls, Goblets Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES

PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT

REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE

AT
AT
AT
AT
AT

CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.

TRY US
TRY US!
TRY US!
TRY US!
TRY US

"A Complete Pictorial History of the Times."

"The best, cheapest, and most successful Family Paper in the Union."

Harper's Weekly.

Splendidly Illustrated,

Notices of the Press:

The Model Newspaper of our country.—Complete in all the departments of an American Family Paper, Harper's Weekly has earned for itself a right to its title, "A Journal of Civilization."—*New York Evening Post.*

The best publication of its class in America, and so far ahead of all other weekly journals as not to permit of any comparison between it and any of their number. Its columns contain the finest collections of reading-matter that are printed. * * * Its illustrations are numerous and beautiful, being furnished by the chief artists of the country.—*Boston Traveller.*

Harper's Weekly is the best and most interesting illustrated newspaper. Nor does its value depend on its illustrations alone. Its reading-matter is of a high order of literary merit—varied, instructive, entertaining and unexceptionable.—*N. Y. Sun.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—1872.

TERMS.

Harper's Weekly, one year..............$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar, will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly, and Bazar, to one address for one year $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time.

The Annual Volumes of Harper's Weekly, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express free of expense, for $7 00 each. A complete Set, comprising *Fifteen Volumes*, sent on receipt of cash at the rate of $5 25 per vol., freight at expense of purchaser.

The postage on Harper's Weekly is 20 cents a year, which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

"Unquestionably the Best Sustained Work of the kind in the World."

Harper's Magazine

Notices of the Press:

There are few intelligent American families in which Harper's Magazine would not be an appreciated and highly welcome guest. There is no monthly Magazine an intelligent reading family can less afford to be without. Many Magazines are accumulated. Harper's is edited. There is not a Magazine that is printed which shows more intelligent pains expended on its articles and mechanical execution. There is not a cheaper Magazine published. There is not, confessedly, a more popular Magazine in the world.—*New England Homestead.*

A repository of biography and history, literature, science and art, unequaled by any other American publication. * * * The volumes are as valuable as a mere work of reference as any cyclopedia we can place in our libraries. Harper's Magazine is a record of travel everywhere since the hour of its establishment. Livingstone and Gordon Cumming in Africa, Strain among the Andes and Ross Browne in the East, Speke on the Nile and Macgregor on the Jordan—indeed all recent travellers of note have seen their most important discoveries reproduced in these pages. Most of our younger and many of our older writers find here their literary biography. Our artists see the best evidences of their genius and the most enduring specimens of their work in the Magazine.—*N. Y. Standard.*

It is one of the wonders of journalism—the editorial management of Harper's.—*The Nation, N. Y.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—1872.

TERMS:

Harper's Magazine, one year..........$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each, in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly and Bazar, to one address for one year, $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time.

A Complete Set of Harper's Magazine, now comprising 43 Volumes, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express, freight at expense of purchaser, for $2 25 per volume. Single volumes, by mail, $3 00. Cloth cases, for binding, 58 cents, by mail, postpaid.

The postage on Harper's Magazine is 24 cents a year, which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

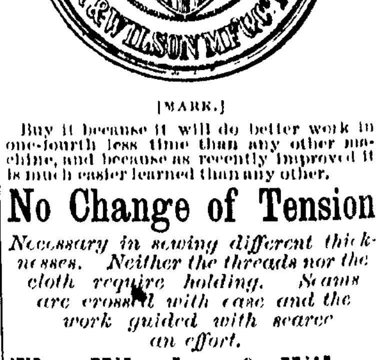
JUST OUT!

Great Improvement

IN THE

WHEELER & WILSON Sewing Machine.

[TRADE]



[MARK.]

Buy it because it will do better work in one-fourth less time than any other machine, and because as recently improved it is much easier learned than any other.

No Change of Tension

Necessary in sewing different thicknesses. Neither the threads nor the cloth require holding. Seams are crossed with ease and the work guided with scarce an effort.

The Wheeler & Wilson

Has no under tension to manage, every joint can be tightened as fast as it wears. Has the best and most readily adjusted attachments, runs very easy, has nearly double its former power, and is the handsomest and best constructed machine before the public.

OVER 550,000

Have been Manufactured.

100,000 MORE

Wheeler & Wilson Machines

Have been sold for family use than of any other make.

Send for circular and samples to

Arthur Farrar & Co.,

100 Lake Street, Chicago

AGENTS WANTED!

L. W. KINGRY

DECATUR, ILLINOIS,

Agent for Macon County.

May 11, 1871-6mo.

Warren & ...

REAL E...

DEALER...

BR...

—A...

CONVEYA...

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

MACON ...

TIT...

Abstrac...

THE BOOKS OF TH... the Deed and Cou... ty in brief, transcrib... our

"Continuous an... Sys...

Copyrighted A...

The superiority of ... ested by its adoption ... ies in this and adjoi... ch ABSTRACTS of a... gages, Wills, Court ... demptions, Judgment... and all matter that ... Title to every Tract ... within the county, ... the entire recorded ... any person or estate ...

WARREN ...

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

Reliable Fi...

NEW ...

UNDERW...

AG...

Cash Assets ... $3,66...

CHI...

To the Officers of the ... agua and Repub... York:

GENTLEMEN:—Th... Companies in the a... of our own claims, ... ALL claims for los... Chicago, has been ... prompt and straight... such apparent desir... all parties, under al... desire voluntarily t... business public. We... er test could be ma... bility and of the in... organization, than ... here successfully a... unimpaired Capita... sponsibility, and a ... tlement, certainly ... congratulate you ... prosperity, to whic... so justly entitled y... Yours ve...

Field, Leiter & Co.
S C Griggs & Co.
W J Quan & Co.
Richards, Crumbau... & Co.
D W & A Keith & C...
S P Shadden & Co.
Markley, Alling & C...
Barnum Bros
C H Beckworth & So...
Leopold, Kuh & Co...
Allen & Mackey,
Bowen, Hunt & Wi... slow.
Henry W King & C...
Chas. Gossage & C...
Chas W Angell, Sec...
Pull. Car Co.
N Matson & Co.
Keith Brothers.
Hiram Wheeler.
Virgho, Rubling & ...
R Kleemann & Co.
Walker...

WARREN & ...

April 1, 1872 d-tf...

CONT...

INSUR...

OF NE...

Devoted Ex... In...

Cas...

One Mill...

Assets J...

$2,50...

Losses in ...

$1...

Warre...

AG...

April 1, 1872—d-...

Insuran...

NORTH...

PHI...

ORGAN...

OLDEST SU...

Cash Ass...

$3...

The OLD NO... business April ... SUCCESSFUL... ration for 75 yea...

Losses in t...

$5...

And continues ... keeing RELIA... Fire, Compaor Polic... ny apply ... April WA... 1872-d...

AV...

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE &CO

The Daily Republican.

OFFICIAL.

STATE, COUNTY AND CITY DIRECTORY.

State Officers.

Governor.................John M. Palmer
Lieut. Governor.................John Dougherty
Secretary of State.................Edward Rummell
Auditor of State.................C. E. Lippincott
State Treasurer.................E. N. Bates
Sup't Public Instruction.....Newton Bateman

Congressmen.

Senators Lyman Trumbull, John A. Logan
Representative at Large..... J. L. Beveridge
" 7th Dist.......Jesse H. Moore

Legislators.

State Senators, 10th Dist.... Michael Donahue, John McNulta
Representatives, 4th Dist. William T. M... (Ch. U), Wilm E. Nelson

Judicial Officers.

District Judge.................A. J. Gallagher
District Attorney.................M. B. Thompson
Clerk Circuit Court.................E. McClellan

County Officers.

County Judge.................S. F. Greer
County Clerk.................H. W. Waggoner
County Treasurer.................W. M. Boyd
Sheriff.................Geo. M. Wood
Deputy.................I. D. Jennings
Superintendent of Schools.........O. F. McKim
County Surveyor.................Geo. V. Loring
Coroner.................M. Y. Givler

City Officers.

Mayor.................D. B. Shellabarger
Aldermen—1st wd Joseph Mills, W. J. Myers
" 2d " Frank Hardy, E McNabb
" 3d " A. T. Hill, W H Bramble
" 4th " B B Richards, Wm. Gabler
Register.................Geo. P. Hardy
Treasurer.................M. K. Hatch
Assessor.................Fred. J. Smith
Collector.................H. H. Brown
Attorney.................J. R. Eden
Engineer.................G. V. Loring
Supervisor.................A Martin
Marshal.................Jno. Haworth
Deputy Marshal.................J. S. Hawes
Magistrates, A. W. Hardy, Geo. Goodman
Fire Department—Hook & Ladder Co. No. 1.—B. F. Dodson, Foreman; I W Ehrman, Sec'y

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, S. F. Greer, and H. B. Durfee; Wm. L. Hammer, President; E. A. Gastman, Superintendent and Clerk.

Decatur Township Officers.

Town Clerk.................Geo Goodman
Assessor.................Fred. J. Smith
Collector.................H. H. Brown
Commissioner of Highways A. J. Williams
Justices of Peace, M. K. Hatch, J. W. Bear, J. E. Kinney, T B Albert, G. W. Baker
Constables H Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Woltsel

Board of Supervisors.

Decatur.......Jacob Spangler, H Hummell
Friends Creek.................B H Park
Austin.................Daniel Patterson
Blue Mound.................David F Barber
Mason.................Norman Folling
Mt. Zion.................George C Smith
Whitmore.................Joshua Green
Niantic.................John C Gordy
Harristown.................M. G. Camron
Hickory Point.................A. McBride
Oakley.................Reed Spencer
South Wheatland.................Hiram Ward
Long Creek.................A T Davis
Illini.................J G Tucker
Maroa.................Jason Rogers
Pleasant View.................John Hatfield
Milam.................Geo A Bartlett

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. J. H. Moffett, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets, Rev. J. H. Noble, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STAPP'S CHAPEL (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets.—Rev. H. O. Hoffman, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. H. Buck, Presiding Elder.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Northeast corner of Water and William streets. Rev. S. F Holt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. ——, rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. Mr. Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. A. D. Northcutt, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. H. Hilmes, pastor.—Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square, Rev ——, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Walsh, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev. M. S. Newcomer, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

MASONIC.

MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceding full moon every month. W. H. Gipson, W. M.; Samuel Nowell, Secretary.

IONIC LODGE, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. J. H. Babbitt, W. M.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. B. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer, Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting fourth Thursday each month.

ODD-FELLOWS.

CELESTIAL LODGE, No. 186.—R. B. Mohegan, N. G.; M. Albeltz, V. G.; A. W. Slack, R. S.; J. Gates, P. S.; J. W. Bear, Treas. Meet every Monday; at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT.—H. M. Oberlander, C. P.; B. J. Schoob, H. P.; M. Albeltz, S. W.; Robert Mohegan, J. W.; I. W. Ehrman, Scribe; J. W. Bear, Tres. Meetings, second and fourth Tuesday every month at Odd-Fellow's Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 65.—B. Schoob, N. G., Newton Edwards, V. G.; Wm Towling, R. S.; P. D. Kline, P. S.; Geo. W. Baker, Treas.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

COEUR DE LEON LODGE, No. 17.—Knights of Pythias.—W. H. Spencer, W. C.; C. M. Durfee, W. R. & C. S.; meet Wednesday evenings at their hall, cor of E. Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

CENTRAL STAR LODGE.—Meets every Monday evening, in third story of Rucker's building, cor. W. Main and old sq. Wm. Towling, L. D. and S. D., D. L. Bunn, W. C. T.; B. H. Righter, W. S.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Merchant street, over Miss Miller's millinery store 2nd floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $1. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

BOOK AGENTS

Now at work, or looking for some new book, will miss it if they do not at once write for circulars of the best selling book published. Extraordinary inducements offered. Profits more than double money. Outfit free. Address F. M. REED, 139 Eighth street, N. Y.

HARL P. CHRISTIE,

NOTARY PUBLIC AND CONVEYANCER

General Insurance

—AND—

Real Estate Agent,

Represents the following

Reliable Insurance Companies:

CONTINENTAL FIRE, New York,
AGRICULTURAL, " "
AMAZON FIRE, Cincinnati,
GLOBE, " Chicago.
ORIENT, " Hartford
STATE, " Missouri.
GIRARD, " Philadelphia.
PENN MUTUAL LIFE, of Philadelphia,
TRAVELERS' LIFE AND ACCIDENT, of Hartford.

OFFICE—City Council Building,

DECATUR, ILL.

Decatur, May 2, 1872-d-tf.

Little Saloon Around the Corner

40 EAST MAIN ST.,

Hackett & Keeff,

PROPRIETORS.

BEST OF LIQUORS AT THE BAR.

Eatables of Every Kind always on Hand.

Aug. 1-dtf.

J. B. EHRHART,

SIGN WRITING,

CALSOMINING,

COLORING,

—AND—

Fresco Painting!

All kinds of BLOCK LETTERS made on short notice.

SHOP:—No. 13 Water-st.—3d story

April 25, 1872—w-1y.

A. C. CORNMAN,

House and Sign

PAINTER,

PAPER-HANGER, ETC.

SHOP over L. M. Gill & Co's grocery store New Square, Decatur, Ill. [feb9,'70.

QUEENSWARE AT LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES AT

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

JOHN HAMSHER & Co.,

NO. 18,

SOUTH SIDE NEW SQUARE,

DECATUR, ILL.

HAVE NOW ON HAND

The Largest Stock

—OF—

HARNESS!

SADDLES,

Bridles, Collars, Whips,

FLY NETS,

SHEETS,

HARDWARE,

Etc., Etc., Etc.,

IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.

Their stock is new, handsomely made and durable, and their prices for the same are very reasonable. [may 23,'72-w1y

THE

SINGER

Sewing Machine

IS THE

Most Reliable

Machine in the market.

Machine Thread and Trimmings.

W. W. Lapham

AGENT,

No. 10 Water St. DECATUR.

M. A. MYER,

House, Sign & Fresco

PAINTER,

Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hang-

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Shop over Quinlan & Bro.'s Carp Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

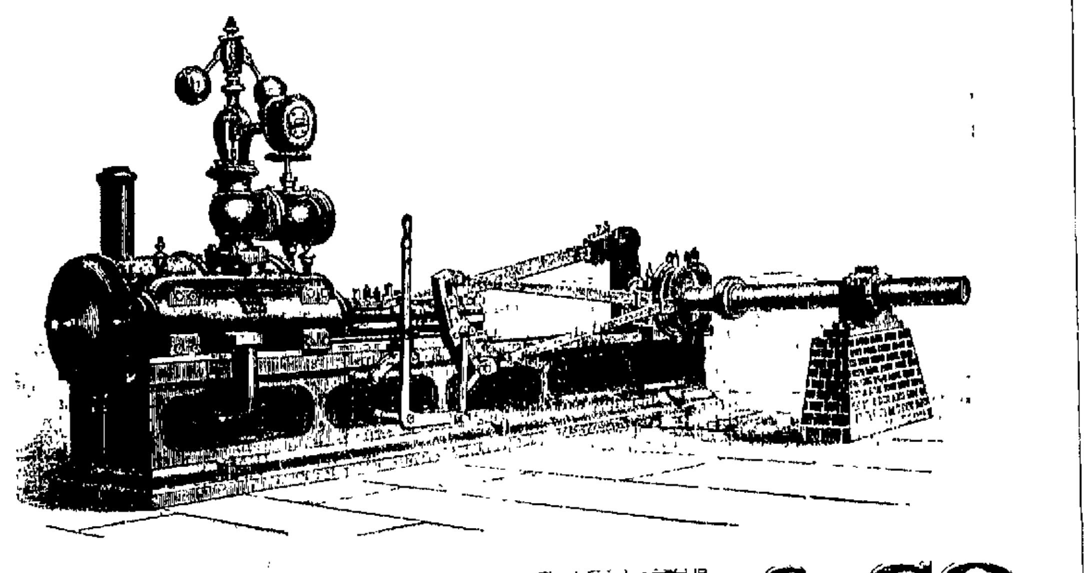
March 17, 1870-y1

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 18, 1872-dw1t.

Central Iron Works,

DECATUR, - ILLINOIS.



BURROUGHS & CO.,

—MANUFACTURERS OF—

STATIONARY, PORTABLE AND THRESHING MACHINE ENGINES, BOILERS, MILL GEARING AND GENERAL MACHINERY.

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL KINDS OF HOUSE, MACHINE AND AGRICULTURAL CASTINGS.

REPAIRS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR OLD IRON.

Decatur, April 11, 1872-dly

J. Q. AYARS,

OF MOAWEQUA, ILL.,

Has on hand and for sale at low figures a choice selection of

150 PIGS!

—of the—

Poland & China,

Or Magic Stock.

Bred with great care and purity of Blood. Send for Price List and get the *best stock in existence.*

June 8, 1871

WM. H. SPENCER,

Practical Plumber.

Steam and Gas Fitter.

Hot and Cold Baths!

Introduced into Houses.

Fountains, Baths, Hydraulic Rams,

Force and Cistern Pumps,

Sheet Lead, Brackets, Chandeliers, Pendants Etc., Etc., Etc.

All orders promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction warranted.

Special attention given to repairing.

SEWING MACHINES

OF ANY KIND,

Repaired as Good as New,

ON SHORT NOTICE

SHOP—In the basement under Hubbard & Swearingen's drug store, northwest corner of East Main and Water-sts., Decatur, Ill.

June 12, 1872—d-tf.

New Millinery Goods

—o—

Spring Styles!

—o—

Mrs. R. C. HAMSHER

BEGS LEAVE TO ANNOUNCE to the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that she is in receipt of the Largest and Best Selected Stock of Millinery Goods ever brought to this city, embracing

HATS, BONNETS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, RIBBONS, etc., etc.,

Thankful for past favors, she respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

STORE:

IN CENTRAL BLOCK

One door north of Warren & Durfee.

Decatur, March 28, 1872.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

THE UNDERSIGNED would inform the citizens of Decatur and vicinity, that he has recently succeeded E. A. Stare & Co. in the Lumber trade, at the old yards of S. K. Swingley, where he will always have on hand

A Large and Complete Stock

Of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, and everything usually kept in his line. PRICES as low as the lowest.

All in need of anything embraced in the lumber trade are invited to call and examine his stock.

YARD—On Water street, north of T., W. & W. R. R., opposite the St. Clair Mills.

C. P. THATCHER.

May 9, 1872—w-1y.

NOTICE!

—o—

THERE WILL BE A CALLED MEETING of the Stockholders of the Macon County Agricultural Society held at the Court House at 2 o'clock, p. m., on SATURDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF JULY, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of re-organizing under the new law. By order of the Board.

JAMES C. LAKE, Sec'y.

July 18, 1872—daw-td.

WANTED—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a20-dtf

MRS. MARTIN, No. 7 West Main street, has a few unfurnished rooms she wishes to let with board. [May 9.

School Books, Stationery, Blank Books, Arnold's, Carter's and Maxwell's Inks, at

W. E. WILSON'S.

Apr. 21-d&w

ICE DEPOT!

Cor. W. Main and Church sts,

Ice Delivered at any Place within the City Limits.

Order from Abroad

Promptly Attended to.

1,000 Cords of Wood

FOR SALE,

delivered to any part of the city, at market prices.

Also, Five Thousand White Oak

FENCE POSTS,

Which will be Sold CHEAP.

MARTIN FORTMEYER.

Decatur, April 10, 1872-dtf.

A. GASTMAN, Decatur, Ill. — GEO. W. GASTMAN Hudson, Ill,

Gastman Bros.,

BREEDERS OF

Pure Berkshire Pigs!

We have Sows from some of the best breeders in the State. Some of our Spring Pigs will be from a Boar Imported by Pickrell in 1870

Italian Bees and Norway Oats for Sale

Decatur, Jan. 5, 1871-1y.

David Hamsher,

Manufacturer of and Dealer in

Saddles, Harness

BRIDLES,

FLY NETS,

COLLARS,

And everything pertaining to his line.

Shop over Stine's Clothing House north side Old Square.

Decatur Aug. 11, 1870-1

House and Lot

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED offers for sale, or in exchange for a good farm or prairie lands in Macon or adjoining counties, his house and lot, No. 110 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. The lot is 100 by 177 feet, and is covered with apple, peach, pear, and other fruit trees, together with a fine young vineyard just in bearing. The house is a good 2 story brick, with 8 rooms, cellar, cistern and never failing well of water; also a good new barn, wood and coal house. For further particulars enquire at the office of the DECATUR REPUBLICAN. S. H. ANDERSON,

Decatur, March 11, 1872—tf.

FOR SALE!

TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE,

WITH ABOUT TWO ACRES DESIRABLE LAND. House built of carefully selected material; is two stories and attic, with two story ell; cellar under the whole. The land is high and dry, and has on it about 50 apple and peach trees; also 20 Early Richmond cherry trees—all in full bearing. A number of pear trees, standard and dwarf. Will sell at reduced price.

Call at H. Pasco's Law Office, over Busher's shoe store. JOSEPH KING,

April 5-d-tf.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—THRESHING MACHINE.—I will sell, very cheap, one of A. Gaar & Co's six-horse Separators, and one eight-horse Power, complete, on full time. The machine has been in use a short time, but is in good condition.

july8-dtf CHARLES A. EWING,

W. F. BALLARD,

DEALER IN

Real Estate Securities!

—AND—

School Bonds!

Money Loaned on easy terms and long time on Illinois Farm Lands.

OFFICE—Council Building, Decatur, Ill. [July 16, 1872—w-tf.]

STAMMERING.—Dr. White, 102 East 26th St., N. Y. No pay until cured. References, clergymen and others. Send for circular of cases cured. (Jy 18—w4

REASONS

For Purchasing a

Steinway Piano!

FIRST:

THE STEINWAY PIANOS have been awarded the

First Premium

Everywhere, by the most competent and inflexible judges the world can produce, many of whom were previously prejudiced in favor of other instruments, their crowning triumph having been achieved at the Universal Exposition in Paris, where Steinway & Sons were awarded

The First Gold Medal!

For American Pianos, by the UNANIMOUS VERDICT of the International Jury, and placed at the head of all others—the United States not being represented among the Jurors.

SECOND:

All their "Scales," peculiarities of construction, and various improvements, have been copied by nearly all the American piano manufacturers, and also by a large number of celebrated European makers. As an incontrovertible proof of the great superiority of the New Over-Strung Piano System introduced by Steinway & Sons. In fact may be stated that, at the Paris Exposition, out of eleven exhibitors of Pianos constructed after the Steinway System, two received Gold Medals, (the *first* and *third* prizes), and eight received silver medals, while, of over three hundred pianos exhibited on the old plan of construction, with straight strings, only three received gold medals, and twenty-two silver medals a proportion of

TWENTY TO ONE

In favor of "Steinway's System" of Over-Stringing.

CONSULT OUR NEXT.

FISH & FOSTER

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS,

For Decatur and vicinity. Are also Agents for the

ST. LOUIS MFG CO. PIANOS,

The only Piano that bears a Favorable Comparison to the Steinway in point of *tone* and *durability*.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

Decatur, April 1, 1872.—d-tf.

Money Cannot Buy It!

For Sight is Priceless!

The Diamond Glasses,

MANUFACTURED BY

J. E. Spencer & Co., N. Y.,

Which are now offered to the public, are pronounced by all the celebrated Opticians of the world to be the **MOST PERFECT,** natural, artificial help to the human eye ever known.

They are ground under their own supervision, from minute Crystal Pebbles, melted together, and derive their name, "Diamond," on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

THE SCIENTIFIC PRINCIPLE on which they are constructed brings the core or centre of the lens directly in front of the eye, producing a clear and distinct vision, as in the natural, healthy sight, and preventing all unpleasant sensations, such as glimmering and wavering of sight, dizziness, &c., peculiar to all others in use.

They are mounted in the finest manner in frames of the best quality, of all materials used for that purpose.

THEIR FINISH AND DURABILITY

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

CAUTION. None genuine unless bearing their trade mark stamped on every frame.

Birely, Abbott & Co.

JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS, ARE

Sole Agents for Decatur and Vicinity,

From whom they can only be obtained. These goods are not supplied to Peddlers, at any price. Nov 17, '70. 1 yr.

Glass Bowls, Goblets Sets, Pitchers, Cake Stands, etc., large assortment, at

J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES
ENVELOPES

PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT
PRINTED AT

REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICANO OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE
REPUBLICAN OFFICE

AT
AT
AT
AT
AT

CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.
CHICAGO PRICES.

TRY US
TRY US!
TRY US!
TRY US!
TRY US

"A Complete Pictorial History of the Times."

"The best, cheapest, and most successful Family Paper in the Union."

Harper's Weekly,

Splendidly Illustrated,

Notices of the Press:

The Model Newspaper of our country.—Complete in all the departments of an American Family Paper, Harper's Weekly has earned for itself a right to its title, "A Journal of Civilization."—*New York Evening Post.*

The best publication of its class in America, and so far ahead of all other weekly journals as not to permit of any comparison between it and any of their number. Its columns contain the finest collections of reading-matter that are printed. * * * Its illustrations are numerous and beautiful, being furnished by the chief artists of the country.—*Boston Traveller.*

Harper's Weekly is the best and most interesting illustrated newspaper. Nor does its value depend on its illustrations alone. Its reading-matter is of a high order of literary merit—varied, instructive, entertaining and unexceptionable.—*N. Y. Sun.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—1872.

TERMS.

Harper's Weekly, one year.............$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar, will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly, and Bazar, to one address for one year $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time.

The Annual Volumes of Harper's Weekly, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express free of expense, for $7 00 each. A complete Set, comprising *Fifteen Volumes*, sent on receipt of cash at the rate of $5 25 per vol., freight at expense of purchaser.

The postage on Harper's Weekly is 20 cents a year, which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

"Unquestionably the Best Sustained Work of the kind in the World."

Harper's Magazine

Notices of the Press:

There are few intelligent American families in which Harper's Magazine would not be an appreciated and highly welcome guest. There is no monthly Magazine an intelligent reading family can less afford to be without. Many Magazines are accumulated. Harper's is edited. There is not a Magazine that is printed which shows more intelligent pains expended on its articles and mechanical execution. There is not a cheaper Magazine published. There is not, confessedly, a more popular Magazine in the world.—*New England Homestead.*

A repository of biography and history, literature, science and art, unequaled by any other American publication. * * * The volumes are as valuable as a mere work of reference as any cyclopedia we can place in our libraries. Harper's Magazine is a record of travel everywhere since the hour of its establishment. Livingstone and Gordon Cumming in Africa, Strain among the Andes and Ross Browne in the East, Speke on the Nile and Macgregor on the Jordan—indeed all recent travellers of note have seen their most important discoveries reproduced in these pages. Most of our younger and many of our older writers find here their literary biography. Our artists see the best evidences of their genius and the most enduring specimens of their work in the Magazine.—*N. Y. Standard.*

It is one of the wonders of journalism—the editorial management of Harper's.—*The Nation, N. Y.*

—:0:—

SUBSCRIPTIONS.—1872.

TERMS:

Harper's Magazine, one year.........$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each, in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly and Bazar, to one address for one year, $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time.

A Complete Set of Harper's Magazine, now comprising 43 Volumes, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express, freight at expense of purchaser, for $2 25 per volume. Single volumes, by mail, $3 00. Cloth cases, for binding, 58 cents, by mail, postpaid.

The postage on Harper's Magazine is 24 cents a year, which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

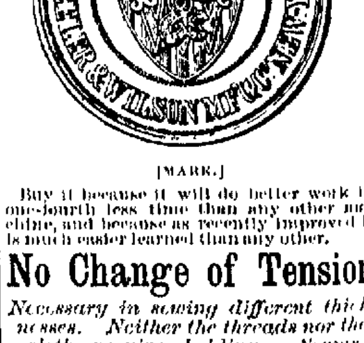
JUST OUT!

Great Improvement

IN THE

WHEELER & WILSON Sewing Machine.

[TRADE]



[MARK.]

Buy it because it will do better work in one-fourth less time than any other machine, and because as recently improved it is much easier learned than any other.

No Change of Tension

Necessary in sewing different thicknesses. Neither the threads nor the cloth require holding. Seams are crossed with ease and the work guided with scarce an effort.

The Wheeler & Wilson

Has no under tension to manage, every joint can be tightened as fast as it wears. Has the best and most readily adjusted attachments, runs very easy, has nearly double its former power, and is the handsomest and best constructed machine before the public.

OVER 550,000

Have been Manufactured.

100,000 MORE

Wheeler & Wilson Machines

Have been sold for family use than of any other make.

Send for circular and samples to

Arthur Farrar & Co.,

100 Lake Street, Chicago

AGENTS WANTED!

L. W. KINGRY

DECATUR, ILLINOIS,

Agent for Macon County.

May 11, 1871-6mos

Warren &

REAL E

DEALER

BR

—A

CONVEYA

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

MACON

TIT

Abstrac

THE BOOKS OF TH the Deed and Con ty in brief, transcrib our

"Continuous an Sys

Copyrighted A.

The superiority of ested by its adoption ies in this and adjoi eh ABSTRACTS of a gages, Wills, Court demptions, Judgmen and all matter that Title to every Tract within the county. the entire recorded any person or estate

WARREN

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

Reliable Fi

NEW

UNDERW

AG

Cash Assets

$3,66

CHI

To the Officers of the ... agua and Republ... York:

GENTLEMEN:—The Companies in the a of our own claims, ALL claims for los Chicago, has been prompt and straight such apparent desir all parties, under al desire voluntarily t business public. W er test could be ma bility and of the in organization, than here successfully a unimpaired Capita sponsibility, and a tlement, certainly congratulate you o prosperity, to which so justly entitled y Yours ve

Field, Leiter & Co.
S P Griggs & Co.
W J Quan & Co.
Richards, Crumban & Co.
D W & A Keith & C
S P Sladden & Co.
Markley, Alling &
Barnum Bros
C H Beckworth & S
Leopold, Kuh & Co
Allen & Mackey,
Bowen, Hunt & W slow,
Henry W King & C
Chas. Gossage & C
Chas W Angell, Sec Pull. Car Co.
N Matson & Co.
Keith Brothers.
Hiram Wheeler.
Virgho, Babbling &
R Kleemann & Co.
Walker

WARREN &

April 1, 1872 d-tf

CONT

INSUR

OF NEW

Devoted Ex In

Cas

One Mill

Assets J

$2,50

Losses in

$1.

Warre

AG

April 1, 1872—d-

Insuran

NORTH

PHI

ORGAN

OLDEST SU

Cash Ass

$3

The OLD NO business April SUCCESSFUL ration for 76 yea

Losses in

$5

And continues keeping RELIA Fire, Compan Polic by apply April WA 1 1872-d

AVI

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®
NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®